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ALLIES ASSEMBLE GREAT MASSES OF ARTILLERY

British Successes On Northern Part Of Western Battle Line Due To These Guns

By Associated Press.

London, March 13.—The British successes of the past few days were due to their artilllery, which apparently is superior to that of the Germans, according to the story of the "British eyewitnesses" issued tonight. The fire of the artillery is described as the fiercest that has yet been heard in the war and confirms what heretofore has been only rumored—that the British and French have brought up, since the battle of Ypres, an enormous number of guns of all caliber. This success has generally heartened the British troops who have spent the winter in the trenches and gives them hope that when a great general movement is decided upon they will be able to carry all before them.

The Germans, according to reports, are already sending large numbers of troops to Flanders in the belief that a general offensive on the part of the allies has begun. The impression here, however, is that the British thrust was only part of the allied strategy which aims at keeping the Germans busy on both fronts, thus preventing them from concentrating at any one point. Concurrently, the French continue their offensive in Champagne and in the Vosges and are strengthening the ground which they have won in recent battles.

In the east, the German offensive against Przasnysz is not developing as fast as anticipated. The Russians are offering stubborn resistance to their advance along parallel roads and owing to the inability of the Germans to entrench in the frozen ground, have, according to the Petrograd reports, thus far the advantage in the preliminary fighting. In fact, the Germans are said to have withdrawn from the north of Przasnysz.

Heavy fighting is in progress in the Carpathians despite snow storms and deep drifts. Heavy fog has interfered with operations of the allied fleet against the Dardanelles but the ships have kept up the bombardment of the forts at Bulair through which reinforcements, provisions and ammunitions for the fortifications in the straits must pass. They also are preventing the Turks from strengthening the forts at the entrance of the straits and before Smyrna which had previously been destroyed or damaged.

THAW ACQUITTED ON CONSPIRACY CHARGE

ATTORNEYS BEGIN FIGHT TO HAVE HIM FREED AS SANE PERSON

JURY DELIBERATES ALL NIGHT

State Makes Effort to Have Him at Once Recommitted to Matteawan Asylum

By Associated Press

New York, March 13—Harry K Thaw was acquitted today on a charge of conspiracy in escaping from the Matteawan asylum August 17 1913, the charge upon which he was brought back to New York from New Hampshire Roger Thompson, Richard J Putler Eugene Duffy and Thomas Flood, the four who assisted him in the spectacular flight by automobile from Matteawan to Canada likewise were acquitted

The jury in the case had deliberated all night and until afternoon today in an effort to reach a verdict As soon as the verdict was reached Thaw was given into the hands of the sheriff Griffen Hagen of New York county The four co defendants were discharged

A motion to have Thaw committed to Matteawan asylum as an insane person was made by Deputy Attorney General Cook immediately after the jury had tendered the verdict The motion was combatted by Thaw's counsel who announced that inasmuch he was brought here on a conspiracy charge and found not guilty he should be returned to state of New Hampshire as a sane man Formal motion that he be so returned was then made by Thaw's lawyers

Justice Page announced that he would hear arguments on this motion next Monday afternoon In the meantime Thaw was remanded to the Tombs

A chronology of Thaw's eight year fight for life and freedom follows

1906

June 25—Thaw shot and killed Stanford White at the Madison Square Roof Garden

1907

Jan 22—Thaw placed on trial for murder

March 20—District Attorney Jerome halted the trial to prove Thaw insane

April 5—Commission pronounced Thaw sane

April 12—Jury before which Thaw was tried disagreed and was discharged

1908

Feb 1—Thaw acquitted at second trial on ground of insanity Committed to the Matteawan asylum for the criminal insane

April 22—Thaw applied to Justice Morschauser for his first writ of habeas corpus

May 6—Superintendent of Matteawan opposed Thaw's release

May 25—Justice Morscauser dismissed the writ asserting that Thaw's release would be dangerous to the public

June 16—Justice Morschauser denied Thaw's application to be transferred to Middletown State Hospital

June 29—Thaw demanded a jury trial to prove his sanity

Sept 16—Justice Mills denied application

1909

Jan 4—Thaw appealed from Justice Mills decision

July 4—The Appellate Division denied Thaw's appeal

July 14—Justice Mills heard Thaw's application for release on the ground that he was sane

Aug 12—Justice Mills dismissed the second writ

Aug 26—Court of Appeals sustained the Appellate Division decision that Justice Mills was justified in denying Thaw a jury trial

Dec 30—U S Supreme Court refused to review the action of the New York courts

1912

April 15—Justice Stapleton issued the third habeas corpus writ for Thaw

July 17—Justice Keough dismissed the third Thaw writ

Nov 22—J J Anhut accused of offering Superintendent of Matteawan $20,000 to aid in securing Thaw's release

1913

March 1—Thaw got fourth habeas corpus writ in New York county Withdrawn

Aug 17—Thaw escaped from Matteawan in fast motor car

Aug 19—Thaw arrested at Coaticook Canada Deported from Canada and arrested in New Hampshire

Oct 24—Indicted with four of the men who it was alleged aided his escape

Nov 9—Federal writ prevented Thaw's extradition from New Hampshire

1914

June 15—Application for bail denied by U S Supreme Court which refused Thaw permission to visit Pittsburgh

Dec 22—U S Supreme Court ruled New Hampshire must surrender Thaw to New York on a conspiracy charge

1915

March 8—Thaw arraigned in the criminal court New York to stand trial on conspiracy charge

FRY WILL BE TRIED HERE

CASES OF FOUR YOUNG COUNTY MEN HAVE BEEN VENUED HERE

TRIAL ON APRIL 7TH

Separate Trials Granted in Civil Suits Which Were Continued for Term

E W Fry, Pete Fry R. M. Todd and Jonn Lischke, the four defendants in the Young county court house tragedy, will be tried in Wichita Falls. Late Friday night Judge E. W Nicholson in *the Young county district court* granted a change of venue from Graham to the 78th district court of Wichita county and set the cases for Wednesday, April 7th. He also issued an order for the immediate delivery of the four prisoners to the custody of Sheriff Hawkins of Wichita county and they will *remain* in jail here until the time of the trial. It was understood last night, however, that the prisoners would not be brought here for several days.

APPLICATION AMENDED.

The change of venue was granted following the filing of an amended application and the examination of sixty of the special venire out of a total of ninety who had been summoned

The question of a separation of the trials of the four defendants was not taken up at Graham but it is expected that a motion to separate will be made when the cases are taken up here

The trial promises to be one of the hardest fought and most sensational ever held here and is expected to bring scores of Young county people here. Judge Nicholson, who is exchanging benches with Judge Akin will be back in the 78th district court at the time of the trial and will preside over the court

Civil Suits Separated

At Graham yesterday Judge Nicholson sustained an exception of the defense in the civil suits against Judge Fry, former county clerk Cusenberry and former county treasurer Padgitt and sixty five bondsmen as to misjoinder of the parties and the suits against Fry and his bondsmen, Cusenberry and his bondsemn and Padgitt and his bondsmen will be tried separately These cases were continued from the term and therefore will not be tried until after the criminal trials have come up here

Judge Martin who has been at Graham all week in connection with the criminal cases and the civil suits and Attorney John Kay who went down to Graham Friday night for the arguments yesterday in the civil suits, are expected home today

EDUCATION BILL IS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY MARKS APPROVAL OF EPOCH MAKING LAW

TO BECOME EFFECTIVE IN 1916

Makes It Compulsory For Texas Children to Attend School For Stated Period.

By Associated Press

Austin Texas March 13—At 10 22 this morning Governor Ferguson signed the compulsory education bill with a gold pen which was presented to Mrs John W Woods wife of the speaker of the House The ceremonies were rather impressive in view of the fact that it marks an epoch in the educational history of Texas

The governor signed the measure in the presence of Mrs Woods Representative Baker of Scurry author of the bill Charles Carlos Bee, who championed the measure for four days on the floor of the Senate and his floor assisstants, Senators Darwin Lattimore Brelsford and McNealus, Mrs C W Woodman wife of Labor Commissioner Woodman and T C Jennings chairman of the legislative committee of the state federation of labor representing organized labor and Miss Minnie L Ramsey

Just as the governor was in the act of affixing his signature to the bill a picture was taken of the entire group This new law becomes effective at the beginning of the scholastic term of September, 1916

McADOO'S CONDITION REPORTED SATISFACTORY

By Associated Press

Washington March 13—Secretary McAdoo operated on yesterday for appendicitis was said tonight to be making satisfactory progress Mrs McAdoo President Wilson's daughter saw her husband today and the president plans to visit the hospital tomorrow or Monday

DEFEAT LIKELY FOR DIVORCEMENT BILL

LACKS SIX VOTES OF ENOUGH TO ADOPT IN SENATE SATURDAY

AMENDMENTS TO CONSTITUTION

One Approved in House Would Provide Four Year Terms for State Officers

Special to The Times

Austin Texas March 13—Although the House joint resolution by Sackett providing for a complete divorcement of the University of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College was engrossed in the Senate this afternoon by a vote of fifteen to seven, there is apparently little chance of its final adoption, as it requires twenty one affirmative votes in order for the proposition to prevail Friends of the measure from indications tonight, will have a hard time to obtain the six votes yet needed to adopt the resolution submitting the proposed amendment to the constitution The Robbins amendment, which had been pending during the morning session was defeated late this afternoon by a vote of twelve to ten This is not the amendment which sought to permit professional and vocational courses at the University In other words to retain at the University the teaching of law and engineering

Pipe Line Bill Revived.

At the afternoon session of the Senate Senator Bailey of Harris succeeded in bringing back to life the regulation bill which had been postponed until March 14 a day before adjournment This was accomplished by a written motion signed by Senators Townsend and Smith both of whom had voted to postpone, moving a reconsideration of the vote by which the bill was postponed This motion prevailed by a vote of fourteen to eleven This move again places the bill on the calender

The McGregor Senate bill which provides for a probe of the so-called cotton seed oil trust in Texas and which measure had been pending for the past week, was late this afternoon taken up and engrossed by a vote of twenty to five As passed to third reading the bill carries the Lattimore amendment, which places the appointment and control of the commission in the hands of the attorney general instead of the governor as originally provided The adoption of the Lattimore amendment caused Senator McGregor author of the measure, to repudiate it, declaring it was no longer his measure The bill comes up next week for final passage

For Repeal Insurance Bill

The Clark bill providing for the complete repeal of the law creating the state fire insurance commission was made a special order in the Senate for next Tuesday morning on motion of Senator Clark

The following bills were passed finally in the Senate late this afternoon Hudspeth's bill fixing the salaries of the members of the livestock sanitary commission the chairman to receive $2 000 and the other members $1,000 each annually, King's bill creating a joint board of pilot commissioners for Beaumont, Sabine, Port Arthur and Orange, Johnson bill enlarging the Clarendon independent school district in Donley county The Senate adjourned until Monday morning at ten o clock

In the House.

The House by a vote of one hundred to twenty one passed finally today Metcalf's House joint resolution for a consstitutional amendment to allow counties by local option elections to vote student loan funds to be used in aiding common school graduates in receiving higher education

By a vote of 85 to 24 the House passed finally Dickson's House joint resolution for a constitutional amendment changing the term of office for state officers from two to four years It was amended to prevent any officer from succeeding himself

The House passed finally Thompson and Sullivan's bill providing for the issuance of six months negotiable bonds secured by cotton or grain warehouse receipts By a vote of 35 to 30 the House refused to postpone the measure indefinitely

In the Afternoon Session.

The Russell land fraud bill was practically killed when an amendment by Tillotson et al was adopted, which practically leaves the law as it now is, giving the attorney general the power to investigate alleged frauds in land acquisition The Tillotson amendment was adopted to the bill and then the bill engrossed but on endorsement many of the proponents of the measure voted against the measure because it was not as introduced The original Russell bill provided for a commission to be appointed by the governor The purpose of the commission being to make investigations looking to the recovery of lands alleged to have been fraudulently acquired from the state The amendment gives the attorney general $5 000 for expenses in making the investigation

An attempt was made by Lewelling and others to have the House adopt the House and Senate conference committee report on the material men's lien bill but after considerable argument pro and con the bill was recommitted to the committee with instruc

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GERMANS PREPARE FOR ADVANCE ON PRZASNYSZ

New Troops Arriving In Great Numbers And Artillery Fire Already Begun

By Associated Press.

Petrograd, March 13.—The Germans appear to be setting the stage with great deliberation for a new attempt on Przasnysz against which their near and formidable attack is directed. An artillery engagement now in progress evidently is intended to feel out the Russians' positions and clear the arena for the advance of the German infantry. Under cover of the artillery fire the Germans are placing newly arrived troops. The Russian general staff is alive to these preparations and express confidence as to the outcome of this new phase of the campaign.

REPRESENTATIONS MADE TO VILLA

DEMAND FOR REPARATION FOR DEATH OF McMANUS REPEATED TO HIM

QUIET IN CITY OF MEXICO

Villa's Representative Asks Time for Investigation Into Death of American

By Associated Press.

Washington March 13—Demands by the United States government on General Salazar, the Zapata commander in Mexico City for the punishment of soldiers who murdered John B McManus, an American citizen, and the payment of an adequate compensation to McManus family was repeated today to General Villa

"Villa and Zapata" said Secretary Bryan "have been cooperating I thought it was a good time to make representations to Villa so that the offenders would be punished Salazar has promised already to punish those guilty of killing McManus

Capital Reported Quiet.

Mexico City was reported quiet today with no change in the situation here The following summary of conditions in other parts of Mexico was given out by the state department

"The department is informed that the occupation of Piedras Negras by the Villa faction gives it complete control of the coal region of Coahuila Good order has been established in Piedras Negras and merchants have reopened their stores A dispatch dated March 12 from Vera Cruz states that Gen Carranza has announced that the gunboat Zaragosa at Progreso will detain any vessels found discharging or loading cargoes and that he expects to occupy the port operating by land and sea The constitutionalist authorities at Vera Cruz announces that the Ocampo also has been ordered to Progreso There are said to be thousands of people in the State of Sonora who have insufficient food supplies

It is said that the army of Gen Juan Cabral in the march from Chihuahua across the mountains into Sonora lost 1200 horses from starvation and exhaustion Several men also died as did many of the 800 women and children who accompanied the expedition When the expedition reached Canina it numbered about 2000 persons poorly clad The leaders were well supplied with war paper money but according to reports were unable to obtain supplies because there was nothing on hand to purchase"

Time Asked By Villa.

Enrique C Lorenette, Gen Villa's representative here issued a statement regarding the McManus case which says in part

There are certain features about the McManus case which give rise to a supposition that the deceased might not have been entirely without fault If as stated, he was guilty of having killed three of the Zapata forces when the latter entered Mexico City some months ago, it is equally possible that he might have been detected on sniping last Wednesday, when the same troops again entered the capital In that case he may have been shot down by way of reprisal which would tend to relieve the Mexican government of responsibility On the other hand he may have been wantonly shot by an irresponsible group of soldiers Should investigation develop that such was the case the American people may be assured that the provincial government will make reparation We desire only a reasonable time to investigate and when that is accomplished, prompt and suitable action will be taken"

BRITISH ANNOUNCE LOSS 7 STEAMERS

THAT NUMBER TORPEDOED SINCE MARCH 10, ADMIRALTY REPORTS

AT LEAST TWO WERE SUNK

Collier Invergyle Torpedoed Off Cresswell and Sunk Yesterday—Crew Saved

By Associated Press.

London March 13—The admiralty announced tonight that the British collier Invergyle was torpedoed today off Cresswell, England, and sunk, all the crew were saved The admiralty announcement says that since March 10 seven British merchantmen had been torpedoed by submarines, two of these it was stated, were sunk, and of two others it is said that "the sinking is not confirmed" Three were not sunk The two steamers officially reported sunk are the Invergyle and the Indian City, which was torpedoed off the Scilly Islands on March 12. The crew of the Indian City was reported rescued

The two steamers whose reported sinking is not yet officially confirmed are the Florazan, which was torpedoed at the mouth of the Bristol channel on March 11 all of her crew being landed at Milfordhaven, with the exception of one fireman, and the Andelusian, which was attacked off the Scilly Islands on March 12 The crew of the latter vessel is reported as rescued The Andenwen was torpedoed in the English channel on March 11, since being towed into Cherbourg her crew was landed at Brisham The steamer Headlands was torpedoed March 12 off the Scilly Islands, it is reported that her crew was saved The steamer Hartdale was torpedoed March 13 off South Rock in the Irish channel, 29 members of her crew were picked up and two were lost

88 BRITISH MERCHANT VESSELS SUNK SINCE WAR STARTED

By Associated Press.

London March 13—The admiralty tonight issued a report giving the total number of British merchant and fishing vessels lost through hostile action from the outbreak of the war to March 10 It says that during that period 88 merchant vessels were sunk or captured Of these 54 were victims of hostile cruisers, twelve were destroyed by mines and 22 by submarines Their gross tonnage was [illegible]

In the same period the total arrivals and sailing of oversea steamers of all nationalities of over 300 tons net was 4 745 Forty seven fishing vessels were sunk or captured during this time, 19 of these were blown up by mines and 28 captured by hostile craft, 24 of those captured were caught on August 26 when it is understood the Germans raided a fishing fleet

COTTON CONTINUES FIRM DESPITE BEAR PRESSURE

By Associated Press.

New Orleans March 13—Bears put pressure on cotton today but values held well and efforts to bring about a reaction were fruitless The continued steadiness of spots was a sustaining influence of importance. In the early trading the market failed to respond to the good Liverpool prices owing to the press of offering and the prices went a couple of points under yesterday's close Late in the session the market recovered and went four points over yesterday's prices. The close was two to three points net up

JAPAN SENDS MORE TROOPS TO CHINA

SECOND JAPANESE SQUADRON REPORTED EN ROUTE CONVEYING 30 000 SOLDIERS

TOTAL IS NEARLY 60,000

Intention to Withdraw Troops Already in China Has Been Abandoned

By Associated Press

Peking March 13—The Chinese government has official information to the effect that the second Japanese squadron conveying two divisions of approximately 30 000 soldiers has sailed for China The forwarding of these troops will increase the number of Japanese soldiers in the garrison in China to nearly 60 000 The new troops will be distributed in Manchuria Chantung Tien Tsin and Hankow It was made known in Tokio several days ago that new forces of troops would be dispatched to the Japanese garrisons in China The explanation was given that this was merely a shifting of troops such as is made at regular intervals, and it was understood that the troops now in China would be withdrawn on the arrival of the new forces Subsequently however, it was intimated that the garrisons now on duty would be retained pending the settlement of difficulties which have arisen consequent to the presentation by Japan of demands upon China

PACKERS COMBINE TO FORCE LOW MEAT RATES

Patronage Shifted From Road to Road Until Advantages Granted Is Charge

By Associated Press

Chicago [illegible] that six or seven [illegible] had combined [illegible] railroads [illegible] advantages [illegible] of business [illegible] make of the [illegible] was shifted from road to road until [illegible] granted [illegible] railroads [illegible] were made at today's [illegible] the commerce commission hearing [illegible] petition for [illegible] rates [illegible] from Chicago Kansas City Omaha and Fort Worth [illegible] to oppose [illegible] the railroad which on meats amount generally to three and one half cent per 100 pounds

CONVICTS LIFE SAVED BY $30,000 WORTH OF RADIUM

Is Treated For Cancer on Lip—New York Man Donates Necessary Material

By Associated Press

Ossining N Y March 13—Thirty thousand dollars worth of radium the gift of Frank A Vanderlip of New York has saved the life of Jose [illegible] an inmate of the Sing Sing prison it was said today Pachilla was suffering from cancer of the lip the radium it was said will be used in the treatment of other prisoners

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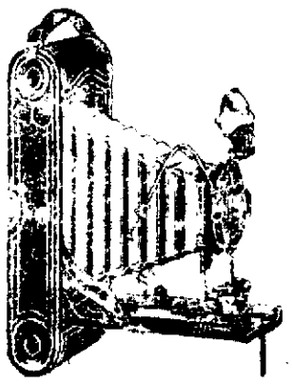

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...ns to the committee that it adhere to the house amendments, which practically prevents the bill's chances for coming a law at this session.

No Report on Bribe.

The committee of the House appointed to investigate the report that a member of the House had been offered money to influence legislation has been conducting its investigations for the past two days and expects to have a report Monday. It has had several witnesses before it, including the man whose name was given as Roger Byrne as the person who offered him $[illegible] to use his influence in getting the optometry bill through the legislature. The committee has held executive sessions and hopes to have its report ready Monday.

The House committee on criminal jurisprudence reported unfavorably the Wiley emergency bill. The Senate had requiring pool halls to close at nine thirty. McCarland's pawn broker bill and several other minor measures.

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BRITISH ARTILLERY VERY EFFECTIVE

WITHDRAWAL OF GERMAN HEADQUARTERS FROM LILLE IS REPORTED

REPORT OF EYE WITNESS

After Bombardment Captured Trenches Found Filled With Dead and Dying

By Associated Press.

Paris, March 13.—"The bombardment with which the British preceded their attack on Nueve Chappelle and Aubers was particularly effective," telegraphs the Matin's correspondent at Armentieres. "Their work was so good around Lille that the German headquarters was moved from that city to Tournai, foreshadowing a general kithdrawal of troops. The Germans lost very heavily in the fighting and the British and Canadians fought with great bravery. Their success overwhelmed them with joy. All the soldiers coming back from the front are beaming with pleasure and singing cheerily. A thousand German prisoners were taken; several hundred of these, including some officers captured at Merville, were lodged temporarily in barges on the river Lys. The German officers are unbanding and are trying hard to maintain their confident attitude; the men are a mixture of very old and very young. They seem depressed and are a sad sight. Their well-known uniforms are bespattered with mud. The battle continued Thursday as fiercely as ever. The British do not disguise their confidence in their ability to make a prompt clearance to the northward."

OFFICIAL EYE WITNESS' ACCOUNT OF FIGHTING

By Associated Press.

London, March 13.—The British offensive which resulted in the capture of Nueve Chappellese and the country beyond it began early in the morning of March 10 with a bombardment by a large number of guns and howitzers, according to an "eye witness" with the British expeditionary force in France.

"Our men in the trenches," he says, "describe the fire as being the most tremendous, both in point of noise and in actual effect, they have ever seen or heard. The shrieking of shells in the air, their explosion and the continuous thunder of the batteries were all merged into one great volume of sound. The discharge of the guns was so rapid that they sounded like the fire of a gigantic machine gun. During the 35 minutes it continued the men would show themselves freely and walk about in safety. Then the signal for the attack was given and in less than half an hour almost the whole of the elaborate series of German trenches were in our hands, except at one point there was hardly any resistance from the trenches, which in places were literally blotted out, were filled with dead and dying partly buried in the earth and debris, and the majority of the survivors were in no mood for further fighting. To the northeast of the village a body of Germans encampel in enclosures still continued to hold out for a few hours. These attacks in spite of the extreme gallantry with which they were conducted, failed to dislodge them, but by about noon the arrival of reinforcements drove the Germans from their last stronghold in the village. Meanwhile a similar advance had been made within 400 yards of a small rectangular wood about 1000 yards south of the town. In the afternoon the troops who had seized the town advanced still further to the east, gaining nearly 400 yards, while on their left again north of the village our foward movement progressed for a considerable distance and the fighting continued long after darkness set in. The enemy was by this time thoroughly shaken and in some parts of the field were surrendering in groups. Throughout the day the Germans continued to hold out in a strong position at the angle of the cross roads south of the village.

This position has been known as Port Arthur and a hard struggle raged for some hours around it until at 5:30 in the evening, when it was stormed at the point of the bayonet. By nightfall we were in possession of all the enemy's trenches on a front of 4000 yards, representing an advance of more than 1200 yards from our original trenches at the farthesst point. The number of prisoners captured is officially reported to be 750, but there is reason to believe that others were taken who have not yet been sent in.

"During the day two remarkable feats were performed by our airmen. One, flying at a height of only 150 feet in order to make sure of his mark dropped a bomb on the important railroad bridge at Menin, destroying one of the piers. Another flying over the Courterai junction dropped a bomb on the station and wrecked it. These two points are of vital importance to the German communications. The German batteries on this day made no effective reply to our artillery fire. On Thursday, March 11, the fighting continued almost as fiercely as on the previous day. The enemy attempted counter attacks at various points. A little ground was gained at various points, but on the whole the situation remained very much as it was on the previous day. The enemy's resisstance had stiffened, but all efforts to drive us from the position we had gained failed with losses. The German artillery had now become more active. Neuve Chappel was heavily shelled and the whole line swept with shrapnel."

CARGO OF MUNITIONS FOR CARRANZA RELEASED

Washington, March 13.—The American steamer Honduras, held in port at Key West with a cargo of war munitions for General Carranza at Vera Cruz, was ordered released today by customs headquarters.

SUIT AGAINST RAILROAD ON CALENDAR MONDAY

Heavy Damages Asked by Dr. G. R. Yantis From Fort Worth & Denver

Judge Akin surrendered the district court room to carpenters and paper hangers yesterday, who finished up the partition built to separate the second floor of the court house into two district court rooms.

This was completed yesterday and the court room will be ready for the trial of the suit of Dr. G. R. Yantis vs. the Fort Worth and Denver. Dr. Yantis is suing the railroad company for heavy damages for injuries received in a fall from a passenger train at the union station.

FIRE IN BOARDING HOUSE IS FATAL TO DALLAS MAN

Half Brother of Judge William F. Ramsey Dies When Flames Cut Off Escape.

By Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, March 13.—Charles A. Ramsey, 34 years old, lost his life and a half dozen other boarders had to jump, to escape flames which destroyed a boarding house on Live Oak street at four o'clock Saturday morning. L. F. Lovelace, a room-mate of Ramsey, was badly burned. Ramsey is a half brother of Judge W. F. Ramsey, formerly of the court of criminal appeals. His cries could be heard from a porch where he had rushed, apparently, when awakened by the flames breaking into his room. It is believed he became dazed or stupified by the smoke and was badly burned before he could get out of his room. The loss was about $11,000.

OIL TANK EXPLOSION RESULTS IN FOUR DEATHS

By Associated Press.

New York, March 13.—The explosion of a large oil tank adjoining the Long Island railroad freight yards in the east New York section of Brooklyn shortly after noon today killed four boys and seriously injured several other persons. Four men employes of the company which owned the tank were reported missing. The tank was partly underground and was said to have contained 11,000 gallons of oil. The four boys were playing nearb and met instant death. Those injured were passers by. The oil is believed to have been ignited by sparks from a freight engine. The fire that followed burned so fiercely that the firemen were unable to get near it.

No. 10547

Report of the Condition of

The National Bank of Commerce

OF WICHITA FALLS

At Wichita Falls, in the State of Texas, at the close of business March 4th, 1915

Loans and discounts		$ 148,221.24
Overdrafts, unsecured $646.38		646.38
War Stamps		73.40
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	$100,000.00	100,000.00
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	$6,000.00	
Less amount unpaid	4,333.33	1,666.67
Banking house, furniture and fixtures, $7,643.70		7,643.70
Due from Federal Reserve Bank		1,860.00
Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	200.11	
Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	34,533.64	34,733.75
Due from banks and bankers (other than included in 12 and 13)		3,337.69
Outside checks and other cash items, $476.25; fractional currency, nickels and cents, $15.65		491.90
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		611.48
Notes of other national banks		4,725.00
Lawful money reserve in bank.		
Specie	$2,618.40	
Legal-tender notes	1,000.00	3,618.40
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation		5,000.00
Total		$312,629.86

Liabilities

Capital stock paid in		$ 100,000.00
Undivided profits	$10,779.57	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	2,254.31	8,525.26
Circulating notes	100,000.00	100,000.00
Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 5 and 6)		42,311.25
Demand deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check	50,074.62	
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	797.50	
Certified checks	772.00	
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,333.84	52,977.96
Time deposits		
Certificates of deposit due on or after thirty days	5,504.10	
Savings deposits subject to 30 or more days' notice	3,711.23	9,215.33
Total		$312,629.80

State of Texas, County of Wichita, ss:

I, Chas. W. Reid, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief

CHAS. W. REID, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March 1915.

J. L. JACKSON, Notary Public. (Seal)

Correct—Attest:
G. W. McGRAVE,
J. J. LORY,
R. E. ORR,
Directors

EVIDENCES OF DRESDEN OFF CHILEAN COAST

Rescued Crew of Sunken English Vessel Tell of Attack By German Cruiser

By Associated Press.

Valparaiso, Chile, March 13.—It was learned today that the British bark Conway Castle sunk off Corral on the Chilean coast by the German cruiser Dresden, was sent to the bottom on February 27.

The crew of the Conway Castle were brought into Valparaiso yesterday by the Peruvian ship, Layton. The date of the sinking given in the foregoing message shows the Dresden was in Chilean waters two weeks ago. She has not been reported since the Falklands Islands engagement December 8.

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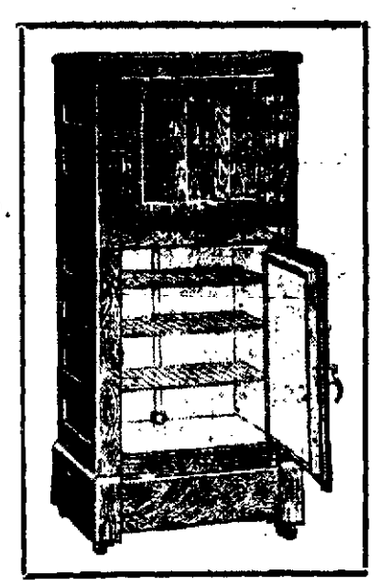

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The girl's beauty, simplicity loyalty devotion and truthfulness are well simulated by Miss Young who works hard in many trying situations.

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Clara Kimball Young fresh from the laurels of MY OFFICIAL WIFE and LOLA, will demonstrate again to her many admirers that she is unsurpassed in dramatic action as every observer will conclude after seeing her in THE DEEP PURPLE

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Times Want Ads For Results

FIRE FROM BRITISH SHIPS INEFFECTIVE

ASSOCIATED PRESS MAN SAYS LITTLE DAMAGE BEING DONE

FIRE IS WITHOUT SYSTEM

Fire From Turkish Guns Appears Better Directed Than Shots From Ships

By Associated Press.

Dardanelles March 7 via Constantinople, Berlin and London, March 13 —The fire today of the British ships upon the Dardanelles forts was scattered and virtually without effect From the point of vantage on shore occupied by the Associated Press correspondent, British shells could be seen falling wide of the mark During the early afternoon of today (March 7) the Turkish fire forced a British battleship in the Gulf of Saros to retreat The bombardment today of the Turkish positions on the straits led to no more results than did the fire of yesterday At about 9 20 in the morning, four British vessels of the pre-dreadnought type had taken up positions at a point off Dardanus on the Asiatic side Their fire observed from shore, was scattered and as usual in the last three days without effect.

During the operation of today, the fire of the British was directed at the forts of Hamidieh and Dardanus and the works about Kalid Bahr. The British fire was without system and in most cases sthe shells fell wide of their marks The bombardment came to an end at 4 30 in the afternoon At about a quarter past ten in the morning British vessels entered the fire zone of the Dardanus and Kalid Bahr forts which replied promptly to their aggressions It was seen that the Britisah vessels were struck and that they steamed quickly beyond range All four of the vessels taking part in this operation then manevured around the bay firing almost at random on the forts and on the Turkish batteries of howitzers hidden in excellent positions in the hills The firing was so brisk that the sound of it at one time was a continuous roar of detonations The horizon was shrouded in drifting powder smoke It was learned today from Turkish medical officers that nobody was injured in the bombardment on March 5 of the Dardanelles possitions

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE

Financial Condition of the First State Bank & Trust Co, at Wichita Falls, State of Texas at the close of Business on the 4th day of March, 1915

Published in The Times a newspaper printed and published at Wichita Falls State of Texas on the 14th day of March, 1915

Resources.

Loans and discounts, personal or collateral		$236,402 77
Loans, real estate		51,425 13
Over drafts		356 78
Cotton bills of exchange		2 274 04
Special deposit in Houston Nat'l Exc Bk		3 039 57
Furniture and fixtures		3 500 00
Due from approved reserve agents net	$35,698 52	
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check	$639 58	36 388 10
Cash items	$2,095 52	
Currency	$8 390 00	
Specie	$4,256 52	14 [illegible] 04
Interest in depositors guaranty fund		3 713 63
Other resources as follows		
Assessment for guaranty fund		313 83
Internal revenue stamps		44 39
Total		$353,100 26

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in	75 000 00
Surplus fund	18 000 00
Undivided profits, net	1,918 51
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check, net	3 556 85
Individual deposits subject to check	236 587 29
Time certificates of deposit	15,920 61
Demand certificates of deposit	730 00
Cashier's checks	1 387 00
Total	$353,100 26

Savings Department.

Loans	$24,636 52
Cash	8,356 09
Total	$32,992 61
Undivided profits	317 10
Deposits	32 675 51
Total	$32 992 61

RECAPITULATION

Resources.

Loans and discounst	$315,095 24
Furniture and fixtures	3 500 00
Cash	63 425 78
Interest in guaranty fund	4 027 46
Internal revenue stamps	44 39
Total	$386 092 87

Liabilities.

Capital	$ 75,000 00
Surplus	18,000 00
Undivided profits	2 235 61
Deposits	290 857 26
Total	$386,092 87

State of Texas County of Wichita We I T Montgomery as president and J R Hyatt as assistant cashier of said bank each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief

I T MONTGOMERY Pres
J R HYATT Asst Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March A D, 1915
C A DAVIS Notary Public Wichita County Texas

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CZAR'S FIRST PRIME MINISTER

Considered One of Most Remarkable Men of His Country—Not Active Recently.

By Associated Press.

London, March 13 —Count Sergius Julovich, Russia's first prime minister died last night Influenza was the cause of death

He was born in 1849 in Tiflic and was one of the Russian peace plenipotentiaries at the Portsmouth, New Hampshire, peace conference in 1905 He afterwards was made a count and appointed president of the new ministry but retired in 1906 and held no important post after that

He was held in some respects as one of the most remarkable men his country had produced His reputation was even greater abroad than at home

REGISTER COMPANY CASE IS REVERSED

CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS REMANDS IT FOR ANOTHER TRIAL.

ANTI-TRUST LAW IS INVOLVED

Fines and Jail Sentences Imposed on Defendants in Verdict in Lower Court.

By Associated Press

Cincinnati, March 13—The United States circuit court of appeals today reversed the lower court in the case of John H Patterson president and 26 other officials or former officials of the National Cash Register company of Dayton, Ohio and remanded the case to the district court for a new trial Mr Patterson and his associates were found guilty of violating the Sherman anti trust law and sentenced to serve prison terms and fined

JITNEY BUS OPERATORS ARE TO HOLD CONVENTION

Call Has Been Issued For Meeting in Kansas City in May—Many Are Expected.

By Associated Press

Kansas City March 13—A national convention for five cent motor bus owners and operators will be held in Kansas City March 4, 5 and 6 this announcement was made today by E K Carnes, traffic manager of the Kansas City Jitney association Representatives of traffic organizations from all parts of the country will be invited to attend

HERO TRAMP FLAGS TRAIN AND SAVES LIVES 100 ABOARD

By Associated Press

Fort Worth Texas, March 13—Flagging a north bound Santa Fe passenger train ten miles north of here tonight Harry Reedy a tramp is credited with having saved the lives of 100 passengers The train apparently was the object of train wreckers Reedy walking the ties saw men he said hastily leave the track ahead of him as he rounded a curve near Hazlett and when he reached the point where they disappeared he found a rail had been loosened from the ties and bent A moment later he heard the whistle of the approaching train which stopped in response to his signals A posse is searching for the wreckers

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Official statement as made to the Comptroller of Currency at the close of business March 4th, 1915

City National Bank

Wichita Falls, Texas

RESOURCES.		
Loans and discounts		$1 128 898 87
Overdrafts		412 40
U S Bonds at par		200,000 00
Other stocks and bonds		4 148 25
Regional Reserve Bank stock		6,000 00
Furniture and fixtures		18,000 00
Real Estate		1,100 00
Bills Exchange	$232 788 24	
Cash in Bank	107,706 32	
Cash with U S Treas	14 500 00	
Sight Exchange	223,502 46	
Total		$578,497.02
		$1 937,056 64

LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$200,000 00
Surplus and Profits		208,621 45
Currency in Circulation		290,000 00
Bills payable		50,000 00
Notes with Federal Reserve Bank		102 500 00
Dividends unpaid	20 00	
Individual deposits	$830 952 80	
Bank deposits	252,962 39	
Reserved for taxes	2 000 00	
Total Deposits		$1,085,935.19
		$1,937,056.64

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WESTERN RAILROADS WILL REQUIRE 10,000 MEN

That Number Will Be Employed in Construction Work Within Few Weeks

By Associated Press

Chicago, March 13—Railroads operating west of Chicago will require the services of 10,000 men for construction work within a few weeks according to statements today by managers of employment agencies Four thousand men will be employed from Chicago while the balance will be recruited from Omaha Denver and other western railroad centers

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NO CURTAILMENT OF POSTAL SERVICE IS CONTEMPLATED

By Associated Press

Washington March 13—Failure of the 1916 postoffice appropriation to pass Congress will not result in curtailment of the service or reduction of the working force Postmaster General Burleson announced today Recent readjustment of the service and an economic campaign began two years ago have made it possible to hold expeditures within the 1915 total Instructions already have been issued to bureau chiefs, the statement ads that while economy must be practiced, the service must be maintained at high efficiency

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Mrs A Moran to Mary Goetzell, lot 15 Bean and Stone subdivision, $350.

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ED HOWARD, Manager

Go to church today

Are you pulling or pulling back?

Dont step on your lip Cheer up, the worst is yet to come.

Those Woodmen don't realize what a good thing they missed

What are you doing to make Wichita Falls better, either socially or commercially?

He builds best for the future who strives in the present to profit by the mistakes of the past

"From the deck down, a
worth about $1 50 per day.
the neck up—that's up to

"The man who can smile own defeat has won," but cashing his winnings is where the rub comes

The fellow who is fond of claiming that the world owes him a living, very often overlooks the fact that he owes the world something in return

Ask any traveling man what town in Texas of Wichita Falls' class is most successfully tiding over the prevailing unfavorable conditions

Miss Annie Spring will soon be visiting friends in our city, and Mr Bo Reas is preparing to take his departure for the far North.

Some bright fellow has remarked that "real friends are like the inside pockets of our vests—we may not often need them, but we know they are there."

Industrious and intelligent effort will overcome many of the ills of life The trouble with many is that they would rather endure the ills than to exercise the requisite industry and intelligence

The recruiting station don't seem to be crowded with the jingoes who are shrieking for war with Mexico Jingoes are great with the mouth stuff, but when it comes to smelling gunpowder they are not there.

Many other nuisances, notably dangerous governmental policies, state or municipal, need to be swatted the same as the fly, in their incipiency Give them an inch and in time they will take a yard.

A Harris county thug was indicted for robbery with firearms, the indictment alleging that he took a dime from his victim In court the indictment was quashed because the defendant proved that what he took was two nickels, instead of a dime

The Times is proud, justly so we think of its long years of unswerving devotion to Wichita Falls and her best interests The paper has no higher aspiration than to conservatively and constantly boost its town, at the same time receiving a patronage which justly recompenses the effort expended. Through good and evil, The Times is always on the job.

For the benefit of some of our brethren of the rural press, who take such delight in enlarging upon Wichita Falls' misdeeds, The Times calls their attention to the fact that the murder trials to be held here in April are transferred from another county about 60 miles distant and that Wichita county is in no way involved in the events leading up to the tragedy It was but natural that the cases, if they had to be transferred, should be brought to a good town

At present the new park recently acquired by the city is known only as the "Seven Sisters" tract, taking this sibilant appellation from the row of seven rent houses which formerly occupied and which had been dubbed the "Seven Sisters" because of their uniformity. The name does not strike The Times as being particularly appropriate for a park and some other should be chosen Perhaps the city council might institute a contest, offering a small prize for the most suitable name submitted,

It's no trouble to get results from advertising in the classified coumns of The Times. There are probably more vacant residences in Wichita Falls now than for a year or two, but real desirable residence property is still in great demand A "for rent" ad in The Times of a five room modern cottage brought the advertiser thirty applicants. If you have anything for sale, rent or exchange you can't well expect to find a buyer, tenant or trader unless you make the fact known, and the best and quickest way to do that is through the classified columns of The Times Everybody reads The Times, whether they like it or not, just because they have formed the habit and some few for the pleasure it affords them—either in reading the news while it is fresh, or abusing the editor for not finding in its columns what they expected Both kinds of readers are assets for any newspaper

" UM SNAIKS."

'ditor ... nes Like an unfortunate ... upon his first contact with light from long confinement in a dark dungeon, the editor of The Daily Times upon his unaccustomed sight of a sane and just proposition goes into "delirium tremendus" in Friday's paper and sees horrible "boogers" in the labor platform adopted by the Trades Council last Monday night It is fortunate indeed for The Times Publishing Company that the "Golden Rule" or "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thysif" was not incorporated in said platform, otherwise, the Texas press would have been carrying in large headlines, the next day, an obituary of the "Demise from fright of our noble brother, the editor of The Wichita Daily Times."
J J. MANLEY

Editor's Note—Our ony object in commenting on the platform was to confirm our suspicion as to whose was the hand that wrote it We now feel that our effort was not in vain

AN APPRECIATION OF FRANK KELL.

Fort Worth Record)
Frank Kell of Wichita Falls is an optimist He is also a grain buyer a miller, a ranch owner, a railroad builder and a town expander He says he expects to see every cow pasture in West Texas turned into a productive farm He went before the Texas railway commission at Dallas and advocated the increase of 15 per cent in freight rates that the railroads are asking for He told the commission that if the roads could earn enough money to pay their fixed charges, they will build extensions and new roads through sections where good farms can be made out of cow pastures. It requires twenty acres to pasture a cow Those twenty acres turned into a good farm will support ten cows, if sown to wheat will feed 100 persons. This is the making of an empire If Texas had a thousand Kells she would soon be a producing empire as well as an empire in extent

EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS

(By W. H. Cousins)
The buy-a-bale movement was to fix a price but we don't remember that anybody said anything about the Standard Oil Co being pinched in nearly every state in the union for seeking to do the same thing.

BURNING QUESTIONS The atmosphere and the newspapers are full of burning questions, some of which should not be printed except on asbestos For some time the war in Europe has held the boards as a question of high temperature. For a considerable longer period the high cost of living has helped the editorial interogators to fill their columns with question marks Now in the very middle of all this enigmatical, super heated editorial comment comes the astonding news that Mrs. Home Run Baker has persuaded her liege lord to forsake the big league, the ash stick and the applause of a million fans for a Connecticut farm The question is how can a man who has been selling home runs for several thousand dollars per be content to peddle pigs and potatoes? It seems that the "back to the soil" malady is breaking out in high places

Up Battle Creek way a one time physician and now famous manufacturer of an extensive line of epicurean jokes of the cereal variety, supposed to take the place of hot biscuits and farm sausage for breakfast has written a book He recommends the book as being helpful to those who follow the simple life. We announce here and now that if this book has for its mission the supplanting of ham and eggs for a new kind of saw dust for dinner and the outlawing of roast beef and brown gravy in favor of a scientifically prepered powdered wood for supper that we are agin the book

The collector of the port of New York has officially decided that a hen is not a bird He has given out nothing as to what he thinks a "chicken" it.

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HALF POUND FROG FOUND IN BABY'S STOMACH

Believed Amphibian Developed From Tadpole Swallowed By the Child

By Associated Press.
Goshen, Ind., March 13.—Surgeons who operated on the 18 months old child of Mrs. Henry Wolf found a half pound frog in baby's stomach When the baby became ill it was treated for stomach trouble and when the usual remedies failed to bring relief an V-Ray photograph was made and this disclosed a black spot in the stomach. The surgeons declared the child must have swallowed a tadpole in its drinking water and that the frog then developed

SWEDISH STEAMER IS SUNK BY A SUBMARINE

Vessel Was Flying National Colors—German Captain Gave No Warning Before Attack

Hull, England, March 13 — Fourteen survivors of the crew of the Swedish steamer Hanna, which was torpedoed by a submarine off Scarborough on the east coast of England early this morning, was landed here ths evening by a steamer that picked them up. Six of the crew were either drowned or killed by the explosion. The second mate who was on the bridge at the time the attack started stated tonight that he did not see the submarine which gave no notice of its intention He saw the torpedo approaching the vessel but it was too late to maneuvre the vessel so as to avoid it The explosion caused the fore part of the deck to fall in, imprisoning several of the crew in the forecastle The vessel continued to float for half an hour after being struck giving the survivors time to take to the boats

The Hanna was bound from the Tyne for Las Palam, Canary Islands When she was torpedoed she was displaying her national colors, and had her name and nationality painted on side in letters reaching from the bulwark to the water line Therefore, the rescued men declared it was impossible for her to have been mistaken for a British vessel

MARRIED TEN YEARS, NINETEEN CHILDREN, ALL SONS UNDER 5 YEARS

South Bend, Ind., March 13.— The population of the village of South Whitley has decreased considerably with the departure for the west of Frank Scott family News of the emigration of the Scotts was brought to South Bend today by Frank Praugh. Although married only ten years Mr and Mrs Scott have been the parents of ten children all sons and all under the age of five years, five sets of triplets have been born to the Scotts. They declared before their departure that they hoped to find a suitable home for their family, present or prospective, in Oklahoma or Kansas In naming the children names have been picked with the letter "A" Thus far they have gone from Abel to Austin

SARAH BERNHARDT HAS RECOVERED AFTER OPERATION

Bordeaux, March 4 —Sarah Bernhardt departed today from the hospital here going by automobile to her home at Arderns The last bulletin by her surgeon
"Madame Bernhardt has recovered completely"

Vaudeville Attractions For the Coming Week

Booked by the Interstate Circuit, Chicago

THE LONGWORTHS—Novelty Singing Act —A bit of Melody and a bit of Mirth
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Music by Union Orchestra

Lydia Margaret Theatre

PRESENT ALDERMEN WILL BE CANDIDATES

PETITIONS FOR THEM ARE TO BE CIRCULATED DURING THIS WEEK.

LABOR MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

Believed Some Change in Platform as Adopted Last Monday Will Be Considered.

Petitions will be circulated this week for the signatures necessary for placing the names of the three aldermen whose terms expire in April on the ballot for the municipal election next month. The terms of Aldermen J F. Reed, J. T. Young and John Bradley expire None of them, it is understood, will take any part in the move to get their names on the ticket but if they are elected, it is understood they will serve
Petitions must be filed ten days prior to the date of the election in order for the names of candidates to be printed on the ballot
Another meeting of the Trades Council will be held Monday night at which the selection of a candidate to take the place of Stanley Crawford, one of the nominees of the Trades Council last Monday night who has declined to accept the nomination on account of personal business matters So far the Trades Council nominees and the three present councilmen are the only candidates whose names have been mentioned
Considerable sentiment is reported among members of organized labor in favor of changes in the platform adopted last Monday night

ENROLLMENT 50 MORE THAN YEAR AGO

TOTAL OF 2837 HAD ENROLLED IN CITY SCHOOLS UP TO MARCH 5

ATTENDANCE AVERAGE 2261

High School With 367 Enrolled Shows Highest Percentage of Attendance

An increase of 50 over the enrollment for the corresponding month a year ago is shown in the attendance report of the city schools for the month ending March 5th The total enrollment is 2837 with an average attendance of 2261 2 The average percentage of attendance for the month was 93.6.
The enrollment in the several schools follows:
High school—Enrollment 367, average attendance, 310; average absence, 10.3; tardy 60; per cent of attendance 97.
Austin school—Enrollment 1029; average attendance 850; average absence 42 6; tardy 65; per cent of attendance 95.
San Jacinto—Enrollment 444; average attendance 346; average absence 22.9; tardy 52; per cent of attendance 94 3.
Alamo school—Enrollment 377; average attendance 313.5; average absence 14; tardy 47; per cent of attendance 95 9.
Travis school—Enrollment 259; average attendance 188, average absence 16.5, tardy 14; per cent of attendance 90 7.
Sam Houston—Enrollment 162; average attendance 111.3; average absence 12.6; tardy 8; per cent of attendance 90.
Washington school — Enrollment 199; average attendance 142.7; average absence 15 2, tardy 16; per cent of attendance 92.2.

Marriage licenses were issued yesday to Oscar Nichols and Miss Alpha Collins and to W. H. Caldwell of Childress and Miss Elsie Smith of Harrisburg.

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FERGUSON WILL TESTIFY AT LAND TENANTRY PROBE

Governor Will Appear Before Federal Industrial Relations Board at Dallas.

Austin, Texas, March 13 —Governor Ferguson will leave here tomorrow for Dallas to attend the hearing before the federal industrial commission which is to start an investigation of land tenantry and other industrial and economic questions The governor is to testify before the commission.

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To the Public

As a matter of convenience to patrons of Wchita Falls Traction company, we have arranged to place tickets in the hands of all conductors, which may be secured on application to any conductor on duty at the following prices:

100 Tickets $4.00
School Tickets 40 for $1

good only on school days to be used by school children going to and from school, between the hours of 8.00 a. m and 5.00 p. m.

Street car tickets may also be secured at the following business houses:

Wichita Electric Company
City National Bank
The Miller Drug Store
Freear Furniture Company

Wichita Falls Traction Company

FIRE THIS MORNING IN THE FACTORY DISTRICT

Whittenbaugh's general merchandise store in the factory district was destroyed by fire, starting about 2 30 this morning. The building, a two-story structure, and its contents were entirely destroyed. The blaze endangered Shamburger's lumber yard, but it was believed at three o'clock this morning that the lumber yard would be saved. The origin of the fire could not be learned. The fire department did not go to the scene, as there are no plugs in the vicinity. Estimates of the loss were not obtainable.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

Ft. W. & D. C. Ry.

Northbound No. 7 to Denver and intermediate points, arrives 3:35 a. m.; departs 3:45 a. m.

No. 3 to Amarillo and intermediate points, arrives at 1:50 p. m.; departs 2:05 p. m.

No. 13 to Electra, departs 7 a. m. and returns at 6:15 p. m.

Southbound No 8 to Fort Worth and intermediate points, arrives at 2:05 a. m.; departs 2:15 a. m.

No. 4 to Fort Worth and intermediate points, arrives at 2:05 p. m., and departs at 2:20 p. m.

Wichita Valley.

Westbound No. 1 to Abilene and intermediate points, departs at 2:30 p. m.

No. 7 from Byers, arrives at 12:05 p. m.; No. 9 from Byers arrives at 5:45 p. m.

Eastbound No. 2 from Abilene and intermediate points, arrives at 1:25 p. m.; No. 8 for Byers departs at 8:30 a. m.; No. 10 for Byers departs at 2:15 p. m.

M. K. & T.

Eastbound No. 14 to Dallas and intermediate points, departs 6:10 a. m. No. 12 to Dallas and intermediate points departs 11:20 a. m.

Westbound No. 11 from Dallas and intermediate points, arrives 12:05 p. m.

No. 17 from Dallas and intermediate points arrives at 10:20 p. m.

W. F. & N. W.

Northbound No. 1 for Elk City and intermediate points departs 2:15 p. m.; No. 3 for Forgan and intermediate points departs 6.45 a. m.

Southbound No. 2 from Elk City and intermediate points arrives at 11:00 a. m.; No. 4 from Forgan and intermediate points arrives at 8:15 p. m.

W. F. & S.

Southbound No. 7 for Newcastle and intermediate points departs 2:30 p. m.; No. 55 for Newcastle and intermediate points (local freight) departs 6:45 a. m.

Northbound No. 8 from Newcastle and intermediate points arrives at 11:05 a. m.; No. 56 from Newcastle and intermediate points (local freight) arrives at 4:45 p. m.

Jealous Youth Killed Two.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa.—Jealous because he had been slighted by a woman twice his age, Joseph Borao, of Wilkes-Barre shot and killed Mrs. Regina Baraldi and Pasquale Ascarni, and then killed himself. The woman was sitting at her home talking to Ascarni when the youth entered, pulled his revolver and fired. After kicking the bodies Borao turned the gun on himself.

BODYGUARD OF MANY PRESIDENTS IS DEAD

COL. W. H. CROOK AT WHITE HOUSE FOR TWELVE ADMINISTRATIONS.

INTERESTING CAREER CLOSED

Familiar Figure in National Capital For More Than Half a Century.

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 13.—Col. W. H. Crook, disbursing officer of the white house, who was President Wilson's bodyguard and who has been acquainted intimately with every president since 1860, died at his home today. He had been sick with pneumonia more than a week.

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Local News Brevities

The ladies of the First M. E. Church will have an apron sale and dinner, March 13 in Hines building in Fell's old confectionary stand. 60 2tc

Wichita Falls Undertaking Co., 813 Scott avenue. Phone 202. Prompt ambulance service. Command us. 92 tfc

We have installed a De Laval Clarifying Machine in our dairy, and we sell only Clarified milk, from well fed Jersey cows. Hillside Dairy, phone Rural 9005 R 12. 51 tfc

Next Tuesday night at 7:30 the Knights of Pythias meet and have initiation in Rank of Page. All members are requested to come out and hear. See that beautiful lesson of friendship. Dr. Garrison, C. C. 61 1tc

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Dr. R. A. Walker, dentist, room 207, K. & K. Bldg. Phone 636. 88 tfc

For Furniture Repairing

Of all kinds, take your troubles to The Furniture Hospital, 1003 Ohio Avenue. Repairing, upholstering, packing and crating. We call for and deliver work. All work guaranteed. We buy and sell second hand furniture. Phone 1200. 49 tfc

Knights of Pythias meet next Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. All members are urged to be present. Initiation in Rank of Page. Dr. Garrison, C. C. 1tc

At the Westland it's better than ever at the same low price. Come when you want something good to eat It's your privilege daily and we appreciate your presence. 58 6tc

Dr. Prothro, dentist. Ward Bldg. Eighth street. 80 tfc

Notice.

The board of aldermen will receive bids at a called meeting at 10 a. m., Monday, March the 15th, 1915 to build combination curb and gutter on the Thirteenth street side and Fourteenth street side and Travis side of what is known as the "Seven Sister Park" grounds, also a five foot walk on the Fourteenth street side of same grounds.

W. A. McCARTY, City Clerk. 60 2tc

Harry Katz, proprietor of the Sample Shoe Store in the basement of the Kemp and Kell building, is driving a new Dodge car, the first of the make to appear in the city. McFall Bros., agents for the Dodge car, report an exceptionally active demand for the cars, having sold five in the past week.

At the Westland you will find what you want to eat and it's fine, try it. Breakfast 6:30 to 8:30; lunch 11:30 to 2:30; dinner 6 to 8:30. 53 tfc

Our cows are well fed, kept in clean stables, moist clothes used before milking, milked in sanitary buckets, strained, ariated and clarified before being offered for sale. Hillside Dairy. Phone Rural 9005 R 12. 51 tfc

To Ford Owners.

The new Ford cars are now equipped with electric lights. On a great many cars shipped since October 1st electric lights can be used to advantage while on others they can not. Come to us for correct information. We have on hand all necessary equipment for same. Also full line of Ford parts and accessories of all kinds.—Motor Supply Company. Ford agents. 59 3tc

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If you feel that you have not as much money as you ought to have to show for all the hard work you have done, will you not consider the savings bank plan of building up a reserve fund from your earnings?

FIRST NATIONAL BANK. 61 tfc

The Episcopal ladies will give a dinner March 20th and will also hold an apron sale, house dresses and bungalow aprons a specialty. Will be given in the old Cream Bakery building on Indiana. 61 1tc

Notice to the Public.

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TO OUR PRESENT CUSTOMERS

We wish to thank you most heartily for your business and loyal support. Much of the success which this bank enjoys is due to the spirit of co-operation and good will of its customers.

We wish particularly to call your attention to two points in connection with this statement. First—Our cash reserve is large, thereby guaranteeing absolute safety to depositors, and further demonstrating our ability to care promptly and cheerfully for all legitimate demands of depositors for loans.

Second—This statement reflects a steady and constant growth in volume of business.

Statement of the condition of

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE

Wichita Falls, Texas at the close of business March 4th, 1915.

Resources.		Liabilities.	
Loans and discounts	$148,867.72	Capital	$100,000.00
U. S. bonds	100,000.00	Circulation	100,000.00
Stock federal reserve bank	1,666.67	Undivided profits	8,525.26
Furniture and fixtures	7,643.70	**Deposits**	**104,104.54**
War stamps	73.49		
With U. S. Treas.	5,000.00		
Cash and Exchange	**49,378.22**		
Total resources	$312,629.80	Total liabilities	$312,629.80

The above statement is correct.

CHAS. W. REID, Cashier.

TO OUR PROSPECTIVE CUSTOMERS

The bank you need as a depository for your money and for the transaction of your general banking business is one which has facilities for serving you promptly and efficiently, and which will give you complete protection for the money you entrust to its care.

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WILSON'S AGENT RETURNS FROM VILLA HEADQUARTERS

Duval West Back in San Antonio. Will Probably Visit Carranza Shortly.

By Associated Press.

San Antono, Texas, March 13. — Duval West, special representative of President Wilson and the state department to investigate conditions in Mexico, returned to San Antonio Friday night after a month spent in the territory controlled by General Villa. He will remain here "awaiting instructions."

It is presumed that he will next visit Vera Cruz and the territory controlled by the Carranzcistas. The trip settled one point that has been in doubt: General Villa is alive and in active command of his forces. Mr. West spent two and a half days with the leader, making journeys with him on his private train.

Notice All Royal Arch Masons.

There will be a school of instruction in the Chapter each night next week, commencing at 7 p. m. All Royal Arch Masons invited to attend.

C. W. RICHOLT, H. P.
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61 1tc

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Report of the Condition of

CITY NATIONAL BANK

At Wichita Falls, in the State of Texas, at the close of business March 4, 1915.

Resources

Cotton Bills of Exchange		$ 232,788.24
Loans and discounts		1,001,395.28
Overdrafts, unsecured		412.40
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	200,000.00	
Commercial paper deposited to secure circulation (book value)	127,503.69	327,503.69
Other bonds to secure postal savings		3,460.00
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	18,000.00	
Less amount unpaid	12,000.00	6,000.00
All other stocks, including premium on same	698.25	8,698.25
Furniture and fixtures		18,000.00
Other real estate owned		1,100.00
Due from Federal Reserve bank		20,916.43
Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	85,268.59	
Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	13,510.41	98,779.00
Due from banks and bankers (other than included in 12 or 13)		103,807.03
Outside checks and other cash items, $12,065.66, fractional currency, nickels and cents $1,821.14		13,886.80
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		8,614.62
Notes of other national banks		26,105.00
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Specie	29,149.90	
Legal-tender notes	29,950.00	59,099.90
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)		14,500.00
Total		$1,937,058.64

Liabilities

Capital Stock paid in		$ 200,000.00
Surplus fund		100,000.00
Undivided profits	$108,621.45	
Reserved for taxes	2,000.00	110,621.45
Circulating notes		200,000.00
Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 5 or 6)		252,962.39
Dividends unpaid		80.00
Demand deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check	763,375.05	
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	13,290.53	
Certified checks	1,823.55	
Cashier's checks outstanding	6,188.47	
Postal savings deposits	2,708.75	787,386.35
Certificates of deposit due on or after 30 days		43,626.45
Rediscounts with Federal Reserve bank		102,500.00
Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed		50,000.00
Total		$1,937,058.64

State of Texas, County of Wichita, ss:

I, J. A. Kemp, president of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. KEMP, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March 1915.

FANNIE FOWLER, (Seal) Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WILBY BLAIR,
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Directors.

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Personal Mention

Messrs Taylor and Marble of the Wichita Falls Camp W O W and R L Hall of the Thornberry camp returned Saturday morning from Fort Worth where they had gone as delegates to the Woodmen's convention They report a big time in every way and a great meeting

George H Trevithan of Bateseville Ark is here for a visit to relatives

Mrs D O Green and son D O Jr of Seymour are visiting Mrs B J McHam and Ralph R West

W M Priddy left last night to join Mrs Priddy in a visit in North Carolina He will be gone about ten days

Wiley Wyatt left Friday night to look after business interests in South Texas

William J Barker of Santa Fe N M is in the city

W H Caldwell is here from Childress

At a family reunion at the home of M A Bundy at 1705 Elizabeth street today Rev S G Bundy of Otego New York and three of his sons will be together under the same roof for the first time in more than twenty years It will also be the first time in ten years that M A Bundy will be with his two brothers O S Bundy one of the three brothers, is a ranchman living near Terrell The other brother, B S Bundy lives at Bonham and is a conductor on the Texas and Pacific M A Bundy at whose home the reunion is to be held is agent here for the Fort Worth and Denver and the Wichita Valley railroads His father, Rev S G Bundy and wife arrived several weeks ago for an extended visit with their son and his family

A W Peninger assistant state fire marshal, was a visitor here yesterday

M D Carson formerly of Henrietta who is now located at Menard was a visitor here yesterday

Grover Cecil underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Wichita sanitarium Saturday afternoon Early last night Mr Cecil had come out from under the influence of the anaesthetic and was believed to be doing nicely

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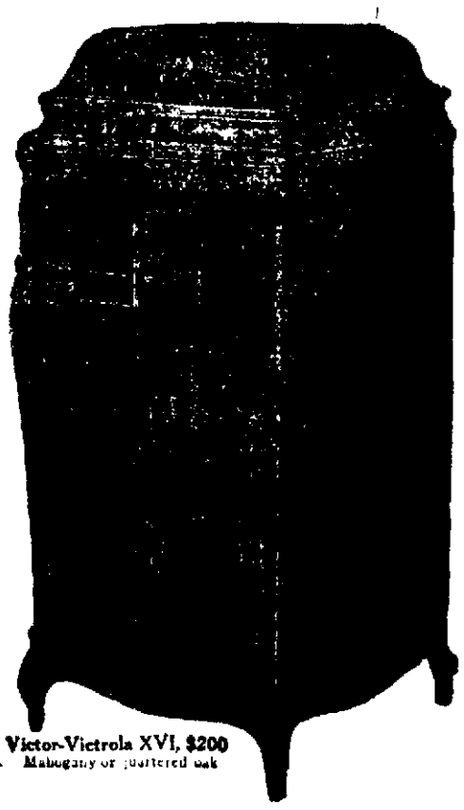
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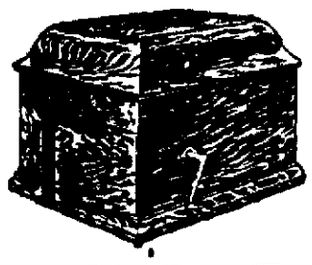
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Wet Weather Last Week Retarded Park Work and Force Will Be Kept Busy

The wet weather last week interfered with the work of setting out trees flowers and shrubbery in the city parks and if fair weather prevails this week the force working under the direction of Dr J F Reed of the park committee will be busy

More than eight hundred shade trees are to be set out in the Huff McGregor Thirteenth street and Bellevue parks Most of the trees will go to the Huff McGregor and the Thirteenth street parks In addition to the trees, more than 1200 pieces of shrubbery and flowering plants are to be planted

A deputy sheriff from Houston was here last night with Lowell (Dutch) Davis a former resident of this city whom he was taking to Houston from Wellington to answer charges of burglary Davis was arrested last summer in connection with the Houston burglaries but was released He is a son of a former sheriff of Wichita county Later he was arrested at Wellington

City Marshal Schwend of Henrietta was here last night to take back to Henrietta two young men of that place who were arrested here yesterday after they had disposed of some chickens and turkeys stolen from farmers near Henrietta Friday night The two young men were arrested by Chief of Police Nail and Policemen Towery

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SOCIAL CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Monday, March 15—The U D C will entertain at the home of Mrs M M Adickes for the Confederate veterans and sons of veterans Meeting of the various churche societies as announced elsewhere in this column

Tuesday, March 16—New Bridge Club will meet with Mrs Morris Marcus Miss Cora Belle Miller will be hostess to the B O P's The Tuesday Forty-two Club will meet with Mr and Mrs T T T Reese Mrs G W Filgo will be hostess to the Art Literature Club

Wednesday, March 17—Mrs J Z Carter will be hostess to the Double 9 Crochet Club The New Century Club will meet with Mrs C Y Tully at the home of Mrs C W Snider Miss Kathleen Blair will entertain the Old Maids The Monroe Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs J A Lowery The Delphian Society will meet in morning session with Mrs E B Carver Mrs J J Simon will entertain the New Idea Club members with a 'spend the day party Home Economics meets at High School The Thursday Bridge Club will meet with W Staniforth

Thursday, March 18—Musicians Club will meet in regular session, "American Indian Music program to be carried out The Social Hour Club will meet with Mrs J D Horton The Travel Club meets in morning session with Mrs J L McKee The Sew So Club will meet with Mrs A S Fonville Mrs J W Murph will entertain the Thursday Sewing Circle

Friday, March 19—Miss Rubie Bachman will be hostess to the D O Ds The Pathfinder Club will meet with Miss Pauline Mears Mrs. J. C A Guest and Mrs. Mack Thomas will entertain the board of stewards and wives of the M E Church South, at the home of Mrs Guest The Fidelis Girls will meet with Miss Leah Taylor 1618 Eleventh street The Unity Club will meet with Mrs H B Patterson

Saturday, March 20—Master Nolen Bullock has issued invitations for a party, in celebration of his birthday

REGULAR SESSION OF UNITY CLUB HELD FRIDAY

The Unity Club meeting in regular session Friday with Mrs J F Montgomery decided upon the course of study for the coming year taking up a course prescribed by the University of Texas A comparative study of Tennyson and Browning and 'The Tempest (Shakespeare) will be included in this course Among other advantages offered by the University is that of two lectures during the year to be given on subjects in the course The club members are delighted with the choice of study and expect an interesting year of work Continuing a study of Europe at war the subject for Friday lesson was Germany one of the countries prominent in the world struggle leader Mrs G D [illegible] made an exhaustive study of the country from numerous standpoints giving the geography the history from the earliest time [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and method of [illegible] subject was one of [illegible] est and Mrs [illegible] was very profitable Mrs [illegible] ery and Mrs Darnell [illegible] interesting manner [illegible] Kaiser [illegible] The usual social time was enjoyed at the close of the lesson with [illegible] fresh ment course served by the hostess The members present were Misses Kemp and Carrigan Mesdames Anderson Carrigan Darnel Gorsline Hunt Kemp, [illegible] Montgomery Paterson [illegible] Zundelowitz

CONFEDERATE VETERANS AND SONS TO BE ENTERTAINED

The Confederate veterans [illegible] of veterans [illegible] will be the guests of the [illegible] chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy Monday evening [illegible] of Mrs M M Adickes [illegible] at this time [illegible] Forrest adjutant in chief [illegible] of the Sons of Confederate Veterans Mr Forrest [illegible] grandson of General Forrest of Confederate [illegible] is from Memphis Tenn [illegible] now visiting in Fort Worth and is expected to be here Monday evening A general invitation is extended to all veterans and sons of veterans to be present at this social meeting, which the Daughters have planned to afford the veterans an opportunity of discussing old times and of being with their comrades of former days

CHORAL SOCIETY CONCERT TO BE GIVEN MARCH 23

The second concert to be given by the Wichita Falls Choral Society is scheduled for Sunday March 28 at 3 p m in the First Christian church Assisting the chorus will be Mrs G F Thompson Mrs G B Carpenter Mrs Benninger and a quartete Miss Agnew Mrs Thompson Mrs Robinson and Mr Machlin The society will give the choruses from Stainer's Crucifixion a meditation on the Passion of Our Lord The Sunday before Easter is observed in many branches of the Christian faith as the day on which to commemorate the Savior entry into Jerusalem for the last time before his death The program is not arranged with a view to keeping Palm Sunday as it is called but it happens to be very appropriate for the occasion Fling Wide the Gates is descriptive of the triumphal entry of Jesus Christ into Jerusalem when the multitude tore down palm branches and strewed them in the way Follows the Agony in the Garden God so Loved the World and the Appeal of the Crucified

The closing chorus is The Heavens Are Telling from the celebrated oratorio The Creation by Haydn A freewill offering will be taken to defray the expenses

MUSICIANS CLUB CONCERT FRIDAY WELL ATTENDED

With the memory of the splendid Christmas concert still lingering the friends of the Musicians Club members heard with pleasure the announcement of another concert and on the occasion of the musical treat, Friday March 12 gathered in large numbers at the First Presbyterian church The program as arranged was of course excellent and each number was all that could be desired Much compliment was given the work of Mrs C Fred Thompson in directing the chorus which rendered several pleasing numbers The quartette Miss Agnew Mrs Clifford, Mrs Tully and Mrs Thompson was one of the most enjoyable numbers on the program and Mrs F I Fulton as reader was delightful The violin selections by Miss Jackson was rendered in the best style of that young artist and piano numbers were given by Miss Kathleen Stonecipher and Mrs A H Britain The unfortunate accident which prevented Mrs A B Huff from acting as accompanist was naturally much regretted but her place was very capably filled by Mrs A H Britain The program was as follows

Chorus (a) Great Is Thy Love Bohm (b) I Waited for the Lord Mendelssohn piano The Magic Fire Music Wagner Brassin

[illegible] Scenar Shiua Violin Obligato

Reading A Cutting from the Sculptor's Dream Hill

Chorus Barcarolle, Offenbach

Violin Impromptu Sturm

Quartette (a) Last Night Kjerulf, (b) Nellie Grey, Hanby

Piano Staccato Caprice Voerich

Chorus The Gypsies Brahms

WILLING WORKERS SHOWER CLASS BRIDE THURSDAY

The Willing Workers of the First Christian church honored Mrs H C Pinkston one of the number who has recently married with a kitchen shower given Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs S B Grey the class teacher The girls were first entertained at Fell's tea room going from there to Mrs Grey's apartments 1106 Travis Here the room was prettily decorated in class colors purple and gold and the numerous useful gifts of aluminum and enamel ware were presented to the honoree There were about eighteen of the class members present to participate in the shower

BUSINESS SESSION OF ALAMO MOTHERS CLUB

The Alamo Mothers Club met Friday afternoon in business session Reports were heard from the Victrolia committee and a letter read from the president of the Mothers Congress suggesting a line of study to be taken up by the club The question of drinking fountains and the screening of the building was discussed at length and a talk was made by Mr Rundell the the superintendent of the school A nominating committee was appointed by Mrs Wood consisting of Mesdames Culbertson Frank Blair and Leicham This committee will report at a later meeting Owing to the bad weather the attendance on this meeting was rather limited, but the interest was good Special music by Mrs G H Carpenter was a feature

WITH THE WOMEN OF THE CHURCHES

The Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian Church will meet in regular session Monday afternoon at the regular hour three o'clock Westminster Guild meets at the same time

Circle No 1 of the Missionary Society of the M E Church will meet in social session with Mrs D Hardy, 1100 Travis Monday afternoon Members are urged to attend, a free will offering will be taken up Circle No 2 will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs T H Peery 2406 Tenth street

The Ladies Aid of the Central Presbyterian Church will meet with Mrs McInnis Monday afternoon

The Guild of the Good Shepherd will meet with Mrs J M Childers 1100 Broad Monday afternoon

The Woman's Alliance of the First Baptist Church will meet at three o'clock in business session meeting of executive board called for two o'clock

The stewards of the M E Church South with their wives will be entertained Friday evening by Mrs J C A Guest and Mrs Mack Thomas at the home of Mrs Guest

PATHFINDER CLUB MEETS WITH MISS HAZEL HUNTER

The Pathfinder Club met in regular session Friday evening with Miss Hazel Hunter as hostess The great Flemish painter, Peter Paul Rubens was taken up and his life and works discussed fully Mrs Beckman was leader and gave a pleasing reading on Belgian customs The religious and political situation at the time of Rubens was discussed by Miss Stokes and Miss Burnside read a description of Antwerp The geography of the Netherlands and Belgium was explained by use of maps by Miss Theresa Smith Miss Thompson had a paper on The Characteristics of Rubens Paintings The late of Rubens was given by Miss Mears and at the conclusion of the lesson copies of Rubens masterpiece The Desent From the Cross were passed for inspection A vocal solo by Miss Stone concluded the program and was a very enjoyable feature During the social half hour the hostess assisted by her mother, Mrs H L Hunter, served a tempting luncheon course of pressed chicken hot biscuits tea and salad The members present were Misses Stone Stokes Burnside Emma Smith Thompson, Mears Theresa Smith Hazel Hunter and Mrs M A Beckman

Miss Rubie Bachman spent the week end at Henrietta being the guest of the Misses Marberry She was the guest at a reception at the Marberry home Friday evening, enjoying hospitalities during her stay

MRS. L. W ALLEN HOSTESS TO MODERN CROCHET CLUB

The Modern Crochet Club met in regular session Wednesday afternoon with Mrs L W Allen 1506 Scott avenue There were a number of guests present to enjoy the afternoon of social pleasure there being Misses Gene and Echo Stengle Mesdames O B Wamack T W Scott Stengle and H P Holmes Crocheting, as usual was engaged in for some time the hostess serving a delightful sandwich plate late in the afternoon The club members present were Misses Daisy Brooks Elizabeth Forsch Mesdames Pinkston Brooks Hammond Scott and Colboth

FIRST BAPTIST BIBLE CLASSES ENTERTAINED

The ladies Bible class of the First Baptist Church entertained the men's class with an informal social Thursday evening at the church parlors A musical program with readings intermingled was carried out and an amusing contest was waged between the men Each guest was asked to write the reason why they liked their class teacher in two lines of verse, drawing on the reverse side his picture The results were in many instances startling and in all cases provoked much laughter Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served at a late hour, there being about fifty of the hostesses and guests present

FIDELIS GIRLS MEET WITH MISS MARY HULL

The Fidelis Girls met in regular session on Friday afternoon Miss Mary Hull being hostess A few minutes was devoted to interesting business discussion the girls spending the remainder of the afternoon with their fancy work The hostess, assisted by her sister Mr Trevathan, served a refreshing ice course to the following Misses Madge Fooshee Ione Skeen Daisy Brooks Isabelle Hawthorne Leah Taylor Ethel Raines and Mrs. Farris The club will meet next with Miss Leah Taylor 1618 Eleventh street

MEETING OF AUSTIN MOTHERS CLUB HELD FRIDAY

The Austin Mothers Club met Friday afternoon at the Austin School carrying out a program of much interest There were a large number of members in attendance, something over sixty and a marked interest was manifested The address of the afternoon was made by Rev C C Smith of the First Methodist Church on 'The Father's Duty to the School, being preceded by the usual devotional exercises Prof Carpenter also made a talk and special music was furnished by the pupils of the seventh grade

TWELFTH ANNIVERSTRY OF ROYAL NEIGHBORS

The members of the local camp of the Royal Neighbors will celebrate the twentieth anniversary of the benefit department of their society on Thursday, March 18 with a special entertainment, to which the members of all the nearby camps are invited A good program has been provided, consisting of special talks and music, and a play specially prepared by the ladies of the Wichita Camp entitled Exposing a Crook The entertainment will conclude with a banquet There will be a large class adoption during the afternoon Mrs M Barclay, district deputy, has been appointed chairman of the reception committee to meet all visiting Royal are entertaining their camps at the Modern Woodmen to which society the Royal Neighbors are auxiliary, are entertaining their camps at the same time and will make the celebration a joint affair and one long to be remembered in the annals of fraternal work in Wichita Falls The society has a history of which the 'Neighbors are justly proud it being now the largest in the world of all fraternal beneficial organizations governed exclusively by women, its membership numbering about 322 000 which makes it the third largest of all fraternal beneficial organizations in this country and making rapid strides to second place the first being held by the Modern Woodmen

MRS. LINDSAY BIBB BRIDGE HOSTESS WEDNESDAY

Wednesday afternoon Mrs Lindsay Bibb was hostess very informally at bridge at her home 1810 Ninth, her hospitality being in the nature of a neighborhood party The guests, with the hostess made up three tables, spending an hour or so at bridge Prize for high score a dainty box of handkerchiefs went to Mrs W P Bolding while Mrs Sanders cut the consolation a box of candy A tempting luncheon in three courses was served late in the afternoon by the hostess the guests including Mesdames Abe Marcus Morris [illegible] Sexton Gwynn Smith, Bolding [illegible] Bell, Warner Sanders, Lari [illegible] and A P Ferguson

PROGRESSIVE CROCHET CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. N. H SEITZ

The regular session of the Progressive Crochet Club was held Tuesday afternoon with Mrs N H Seitz as hostess Crocheting and conversation were prominent among the afternoon's diversions and the hostess served refreshments of pimento sandwiches pickles, gelatine, cake and chocolate Invited guests were Mesdames Martin Crowell, McFarland Colboth, the members present being Mesdames Smith, Nix, Boone, Reed Bates Denison and the hostess

TRAVEL CLUB HAS VERY ENTERTAINING PROGRAM

The Wichita Travel Club enjoyed an unusual program at their session Thursday morning held with Mrs J L McKee, the lesson being led by Mrs George W Akin and all of the papers read being written by the leader The subject of California offered many possibilities for this leader, herself a resident of California in the early days when fortunes were made quickly and in some instances lost quite as rapidly The papers, one of them "The Rolling Pin' published sometime ago, were all true stories of the early days in California, gained by Mrs Akin from experience, and told her by friends and acquaintances These papers were read by Mesdames C C Smith, Andrew Urban and Fred Datson, and, breathing the spirit of California of the time of the lesson, were very interesting The members present at this meeting were Mesdames J W Akin, George Akin, Alexander, Datson Blair, Faunt LeRoy Hamlin, McKee, Robertson, Smith Jack Shelton Urban Johnson and Miss Potter

THURSDAY SEWING CIRCLE WITH MRS. MONTGOMERY

Mrs C E Montgomery was hostess to the Thursday Sewing Circle in regular session Thursday afternoon The time of meeting was taken up with fancywork of various sorts and the hostess served light refreshments late in the afternoon Mrs Jason Walker was a guest the members present being Mesdames Huggins, Gardner, Murph, Montgomery, Misses Rhea Gardner and Beryl Murph

NEW IDEA CLUB IN SESSION WITH MRS SHAW

The New Idea Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs W E Shaw, at her home on Kemp Boulevard The diversions offered were the usual ones of sewing and crocheting with conversation of a social nature At this time announcement was made that Mrs J J Simon would be next hostess to the club entertaining with a spend the day party Mrs Kenning of Chickasha was a guest the members present being Mesdames H J Bachman, Carey Simon E V Friberg Wilson Thornberry and Dobson The hostess served a luncheon course, consisting of cream cheese wafers hot rolls and fruit salad with whipped cream

INTERESTING MEETING OF W C. T U. THURSDAY

An unusual privilege was accorded the W C T U of this city Thursday afternoon that of having with them at their regular meeting Mrs Ida M Arnold state superintendent of the temperance work among the railroad men Mrs Arnold, who is now stationed in Wichita Falls, gave a splendid address of much benefit to the union It is now proposed to have Mrs Arnold conduct a temperance institute here some time in the near future and in the meantime she is interesting women of the city in her phase of the temperance work of the state One of the chief means of furthering this work among the railroad men is the distribution of literature to the men on the sections, sending both temperance leaflets and good literature, consisting of magazines and good fiction Mrs Arnold has requested that all Sunday school papers and religious magazines be saved for her to distribute in this manner. The subject for the afternoon's lesson was Medical Temperance," and an excellent program was carried out A very helpful talk was made by Mrs. J H Edwards of Colorado, and an especially enjoyable address was heard from Mrs Frank Whitney of Illinois a pioneer in the W C T U movement In the business session the power of appointing vice presidents from each church was delegated to a nominating committee

SOCIAL SESSION OF D A R.'s WITH MRS R. P WATTS

Combining with the regular program of the Daughters of the American Revolution with social features, Mrs R P Watts was hostess to the Major Francis Grice Chapter Saturday afternoon honoring her niece, Mrs. R T R of Austwell The business was taken up and it was voted to send a graduation present to the D A R scholarship girl at the State University The lesson on the Har-

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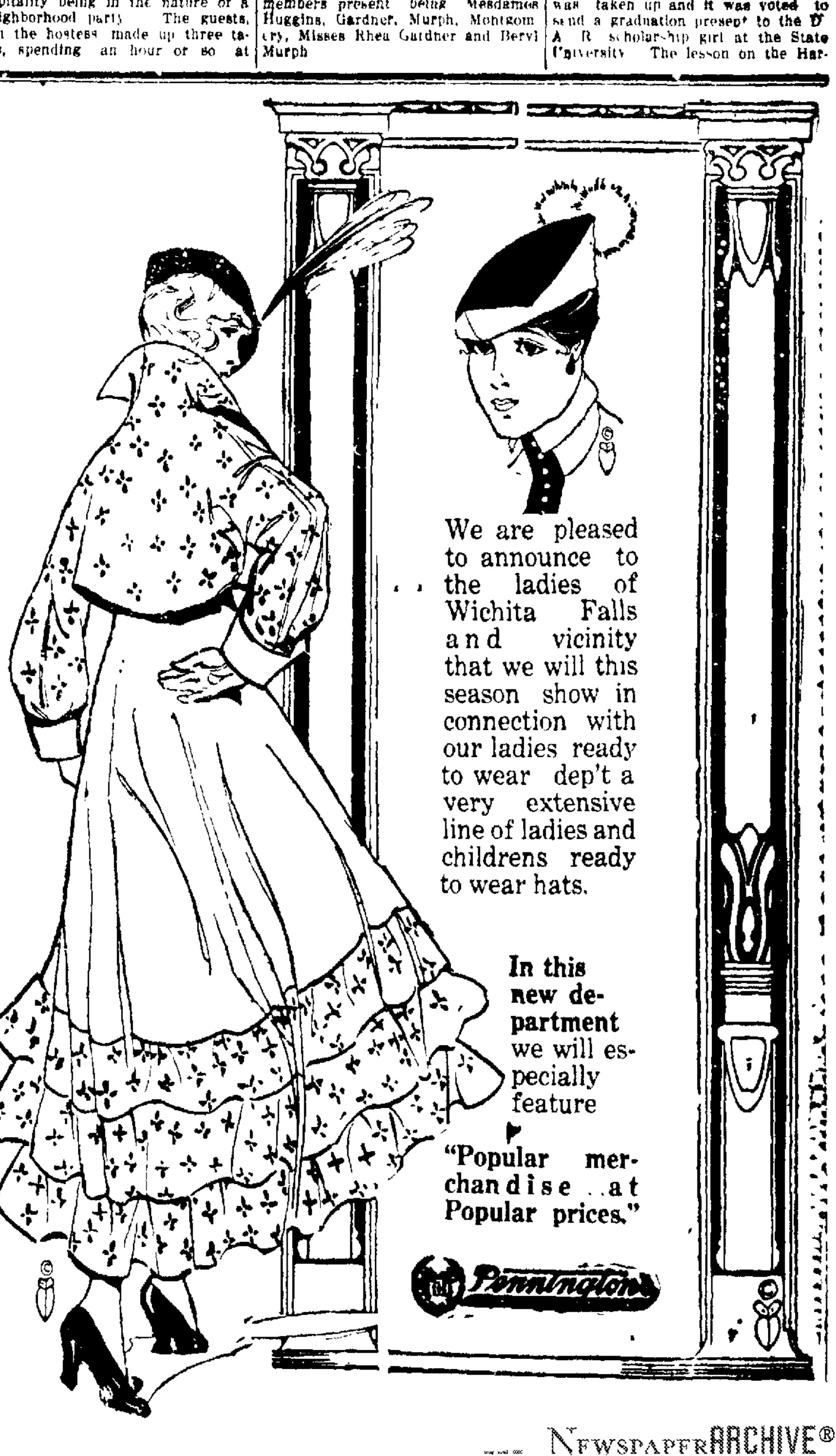

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rison-Tyler administrations was taken up, also the Texas-Mexican trouble. Mrs. Wiley Blair was leader for the afternoon and a number of excellent papers were read. Following the program a truly delightful musical program was carried out, Mrs. Watts having arranged this feature in addition to the program. Mrs. Roy Artley gave a vocal selection. Miss Burnside gave an instrumental number and Mrs. Ben Bell and Mrs. Ray, the honor guest, each favored with readings. For the refreshment hospitality the guests were invited into the dining room, which was exceedingly attractive with an elaborate patriotic scheme of decoration. Flags were draped between the double doors of dining room and living room and hung on the wall. A large portrait of George Washington was draped with the colors and in the candle lit table and buffet the national tri-color motif was featured. Four crystal candle sticks, flag shaded were arranged on the polished table, overlaid with lace and flowers, massed so as to form three bars of red, white and blue, formed a centerpiece. Here a tempting two course luncheon was served to the following D. A. R. members: Mesdames Burnside, Ben Bell, Wiley Blair, Robertson, Beavers, Jackson, Miller, Artley, Herbiln, Misses Burnside, Beavers and Young, special guests were Mrs. Ray, honoree, Mesdames Bralley, Snider, Keith and Bolding.

CIVIC LEAGUE COMMITTEES AT WORK FOR CLEANUP

The Civic Leage committee in the interesting cleanup campaign are busy looking after the work of cleaningup in their respective districts and hope to have things in good shape by Wednesday, March 31, Clean Up Day. As previously announced the city has been divided into districts, with a committee in charge of each district to direct the work in the separate sections. The League desires to enlist the aid of every citizen in this work as the success of the clean up depends on the manner in which the private premises are cleaned. Each citizen is requested to cooperate with the district committee in their work. On the general clean up day each committee will be given wagons to haul away that which has accumulated. All householders are urged to have all rubbish and trash collected in boxes or barrels or piled up so as to quickly and conveniently handled.

MRS. RHEA HOWARD HOSTESS TO WESLEY GIRLS TUESDAY

Tuesday afternoon the Wesley Girls met in regular session with Mrs. Rhea Howard. Two hours of fancywork with Victrola music at the right interval were enjoyed by all, the hostess serving delicious salad, sandwiches, olives, tea and cake late in the afternoon. Those present were: Misses Hazel Robson, Ila Cook, Alta Ruffner, Mesdames John Chambers, Clifford Robson and Rhea Howard, Mrs. Jack Shelton, sister of the hostess was a guest.

MONROE SEWING CIRCLE WITH MRS. ALICE FRAZIER

The Monroe Sewing Circle met in regular session Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Alice Frazier. The usual needlework and social chat was much enjoyed by the members and guests present, the hostess serving a delightful two course luncheon before adjournment. Guests were Misses Alice Frazier, Mary Coffield and Annie Dell Bradshaw and Mrs. M. P. Kelley. The club members present were Mesdames Williams, Bennett, McConnell, Brody, Mendenhall, Taylor, Minor, Lowery, Chauncey, Thorburn, Faulks and J. T. Williams.

MRS. GEORGE HURST IS HOSTESS TO MAYFLOWER

A pleasant session of the Mayflower 42 Club was held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Geogre Hurst, having been postponed from the regular day of meeting last week. The usual number of games were played, high score going to Mrs. Bradshaw. The hostess served a two course luncheon, the menu consisting of corn salad, wafers, olives, escalloped oysters, grape nut pie with coffee, jello with whipped cream and angel food cake. Special guests were Mrs. Peyton of Houston, mother of the hostess who assisted in entertaining, Mrs. Kendig and Miss Miley. The club members present were: Mesdames Langford, Stearns, Bradshaw, Perdue, Walker, Dellis, Wilson, Dobson, Hagin and Gregg.

MRS. JOHN CARITHERS HOSTESS TO JUST SO CLUB SATURDAY

Mrs. John Carithers very pleasantly entertained the members of the Just So Club and a few guests Saturday afternoon. In addition to the fancywork which the club is accustomed to engage in at these meetings the hostess had provided other diversions in the way of a "penny" contest. The favor for the most correct answers in this contest a pink crepe de chine handkerchief, went to Miss Virginia Andrews. An attractive luncheon plate, consisting of chicken salad, wafers, olives, hot chocolate with whipped cream and cake, was served. Guests were Misses King and Anderson and Mrs. Horton. The club members present were: Misses Florence Barrier, Adah Anderson, Laura Martin, Hazel Jones, Ruth Downing, Tracie Paulman and Virginia Andrews, Mesdames Jack Shelton, Jason Walker and the hostess, Mrs. Carithers. Mrs. Jack Shelton will be hostess to the club next Saturday.

PROGRESSIVE MISSION LECTURE AT SNIDER HOME

An altogether clever and unique arrangement of a missionary program was the progressive missionary lecture-tea given Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. W. Snider, with Mrs. Snider and Mrs. M. H. Moore hostesses. The ladies of the mission society of the M. E. Church, South, were the guests on this occasion and each of the seventy-five ladies present declared that never had she spent so profitable and delightful time at a missionary meeting. The mission hour is apt to prove irksome and the majority of the members as a rule find little interest in the study. For these the hostesses had provided a program somewhat out of the ordinary, there being five tables with a lecture on some phase of the subject of missions going on at each one. Cards bearing the table number were given out by Mrs. Sehman and following an eight minute lecture each group progressed to the table next in order. Mrs. Silk at the first table discussed the Wesley Houses, Mrs. Guest at table No. 2 lectured comprehensively on mountain schools; Mrs. Snider at table 3, had Korea for her subject and Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. Shelton at tables 4 and 5, discussed Africa and Mexico respectively. During the intermission of changing tables music by Mesdames Nace Clifford, Tully, G. H. Carpenter and Sehman was enjoyed. The dining room was visited last and tea and cakes were served. Mrs. C. R. Hartsook presided at the tea service, laid out on the large table, decorated with a simple but effective centerpiece of violets. Miss Jones and Miss Annette Coffield assisted in the dining room. This innovation along the lines of missionary meetings was much enjoyed and the announcement of another of the same sort to be held soon will be heartily welcomed.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN AID ELECTS OFFICERS

The Ladies Aid of the Central Presbyterian Church met in business session Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. F. Reed. The election of officers was held, Mrs. J. S. Pitman being elected president; Mrs. Arnold, vice president; Mrs. Wright, secretary; Mrs. Kidd, treasurer. The president, Mrs. Kerr, appointed a year book committee with Mrs. Fain as chairman and consisting of Mrs. Fain, Mrs. McFadden and Mrs. Wilson. There were a good number in attendance and an enjoyable social time was spent in connection with the business session.

REGULAR SESSION MONDAY OF WESTMINISTER GUILD

The Westminister Guild met in the parlors of the First Presbyterian Church Monday afternoon. The lesson topic, "The Strange Theories of Southern Heretics" was led by Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Newton Maer leading the topic for general discussion. Miss Helen Beavers gave an interesting paper on the "Methods of the Spanish Inquisition."

CIVIC LEAGUE COMMITTEE VISITS NEGRO SCHOOL

A committee from the Civic League visited the negro school of the city Monday afternoon, for the purpose of organizing that part of the citizenship into a civic league. While at the school they were entertained with two chorus numbers by the school children. There were about twelve negro women present for the purpose of organizing a co-operative society to work with Civic League in their efforts to put the city in a clean and sanitary condition and all showed their earnestness and desire to help, making systematic plans toward this end. The ladies of the League were assured of the heartiest co-operation of Prof. Trimble and his pupils and teachers in their clean up effort and all were much pleased with their reception. A tour of the school was made and the work in the special departments of domestic science and manual training, supervised by Prof. Trimble and his wife, was demonstrated. These departments and the entire work of the school and the excellent results of the efforts of the principal and his wife received many compliments from the committee of ladies, who were highly pleased with the results of their visit.

MRS. CARPENTER HOSTESS TO NEW CENTURY CLUB

The New Century Club was entertained in regular session Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. G. H. Carpenter, a former member of the club. The regular routine of business was entered upon and the club decided to take the Bayview magazine in connection with their study course for the coming year. The subject for the afternoon's program "Mary Magdalene" was a continuation of the study of women of the Bible and was very ably led by Mrs. T. M. Smyre. A paper of unusual excellence on "The Life of Mary Magdalene" was read by Mrs. Silk and numerous points of interest were brought out by the leader in the course of the lesson. The hostess favored the club with a pleasing vocal selection, an Indian lullaby. The cordial hospitality of Mrs. Carpenter toward her guests was evidenced in the reception given them, the many little things planned for their comfort and the unusually dainty refreshment service, in which she was assisted by Mrs. J. D. Johnson. Both the salad plate and the ice course featured the approach of St. Patrick's Day, the brick cream being molded in green, white with white cake and plate favors consisted of green flags, bearing the inscription in gold "Erin Go Bragh" (Ireland Forever). The guest of the afternoon was Mrs. J. D. Johnson, the following club members enjoying the meeting with Mrs. Carpenter: Mesdames Whitney, Gardner, Bralley, Lee, Guest, Barnard, Adickes, Silk, Burnside, Grisham, Ashmore, Wood, Tully, Montgomery, Smyre and Adams.

MRS. R. H. HALL ART LITERATURE CLUB HOSTESS

The Art Literature Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. R. H. Hall, nine members answering roll call with "Woman's Work and Influence." A brief business session was held, Mrs. Ed Pope being elected a member of the club. The lesson on "American Literature" was led by Mrs. Scruggs and the following papers were contributed: "General conditions of Our Literature," Mrs. Pridgen; "The Literature of the South," Mrs. Harris; "Later New England," Mrs. Gebhardt; "American Women," Mrs. Hall; "The Early Historians," Mrs. DeBerry. Mrs. Robertson made an unusually interesting talk on the lost city of Petros, the city discovered some years ago in the African desert, very difficult of access and which only a few explorers have visited. The city is reported to be very beautiful, resembling an immense, clearly cut cameo. This relation was of course very much enjoyed by all. Following the Bayview lesson quiz the hostess served a delightful salad plate to the following members: Mesdames Filgo, Burgess, Gebhardt, Harris, Robertson, Rountree, Pridgen and Scruggs.

B. O. P.'s MEET TUESDAY WITH MRS. JAMES ELLIOT

Mrs. James Elliot was hostess to a pleasant session of the B. O. P. girls Tuesday afternoon at her home, 1627 Tenth street. Music and conversation with the customary needlework furnished the afternoon's diversions and the hostess served a dainty refreshment course, consisting of fruit salad, sandwiches, olives, wafers and tea. Guests were: Miss Nell Bulloch and Mrs. Milliken, mother of the hostess. The club members present were: Misses Annette Coffield, Marion Crabtree, Ethel Reed, Cora Belle Miller, Hazel Pribbe, Mabel Williams, Rhea Gardner, Beryl Murfin, Virginia Andrews, Pauline Harris, Jewel Delaney, Tula Stokes, Mrs. Kelly and the hostess.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN MISSION SOCIETY ELECTION

The Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church met Monday afternoon in regular session, holding their annual election of officers in addition to the regular program. The officers elected follow: Mrs. H. B. Patterson, president; Mrs. J. W. Akin and Mrs. Bernard Martin, vice presidents; Mrs. J. C. Hunt, recording secretary; Mrs. J. L. Mears, secretary of literature; Mrs. J. W. Culbertson, treasurer. The program was taken from the study book, "In Red Man's Land" and was led by Mrs. Culbertson. Talks were made on the subject of the lesson on what the government has failed to do for the Indian and what the church could do, by Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Carrigan and Mrs. D. G. Whitney read an instructive paper.

MISS CARRIGAN ENTERTAINS OLD MAIDS WEDNESDAY

The Old Maids met Wednesday afternoon with Miss Ann Carrigan, enjoying their usual series of games of bridge. The souvenir, a corsage bouquet of sweet peas, was cut by Mrs. Woodruff. On the conclusion of the game the hostess served an appetizing luncheon course to the following: Misses Agnes Reid, Lillian Avis, Grace Nolen, Alice Burnside, Florence Sammons, Ann Freear, Jewell Kemp, Mesdames Earl Clayton, Harry Weeks, Woodruff and A. H. Brittain.

MRS. W. F. TURNER HOSTESS TO DELPHIAN SOCIETY

The study of political life in Greece formed the program fo rthe meeting of the Delphian Society Wednesday morning with Mrs. W. F. Turner as

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STORY OF AMERICAN CAPTAIN

Kept on Board Warship More Than 30 Days After Sinking of His Boat.

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 13—Count Bernstorff, German ambassador, in discussing with state department officials today the sinking of the American sailing ship, William P Fry defended the action of Captain Thierichens of the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich He contended that he acted within the declaration of London, which was the only guide as to disposition of prizes, the next step in the case cannot be taken until the question of the detention of the Fry's cargo is determined and the state department will await action on that point by her owners who present certain proofs on which the government will predicate its action

Captain Kiehne of the William P Fry said he submitted willingly to search and assured the Germans he had no cargo but wheat The German officer examined the ship's papers carefully, he said, and then the cargo was ordered thrown oberboard While this was being done the Eitel went away after another prize returned after several hours and took off the Fry's crew,

The Eitel captain then sank the Fry, fearing the long delay at which he considered the path of hostile cruisers might subject his own ship to danger Captain Kiehne said that he did not know while en route to Queenstown that his cargo of wheat had been sold, nor did the German commander The cargo was shipped to order," and the vessel was to stop at three British ports, one of which was fortified.

While no vessels were seen nor any chase for enemy ships while the Americans were aboard the Eitel the captain said the German commander made no effort for more than a month to land his neutral passengers in a safe port Undoubtedly that may be one of the chief points of future representations by the United States because it is held that the Americans were subjected to unnecessary risks

London Declaration's Validity

In defending the action of commander Thierichens the ambassador contended that when the officer left Tsing Tau at the outbreak of the war last August he had nothing to follow but the declaration of London in deciding what to do with vessels he might seize For that reason the ambassador urged, he had a right to sink the Fry as its cargo of wheat was consigned to order and destined to a fortified port of the enemy

It was held by administration officials that the German captain had no right to act under the declaration in any event, for when the war broke out it had not been ratified generally and therefore was not in force

SUPERINTENDENT TELLS OF CINCINNATI MEETING

Monthly Session of City Teachers' Institute is Held Saturday Morning.

The city teachers institute met Saturday morning at the high school the regular program being preceded by a talk by Prof G. H Carpenter April 30 was set as the date of Exhibition Day, when examplets of the work done Day when examples of the work done of the city schools will be on exhibition at the high school building This exhibition has become an annual occurrence and the publicc is invited to attend

An interesting account of the meeting of the department of superintendents, held at Cincinnati recently was given by Mr Carpenter In the course of his remarks he spoke of the work along lines of reconstruction, explaining the "six six course plan which is being followed in the schools of the leading cities This plan divides the high school course into three years of junior work and three years senior work By this arrangement certaain studies are eliminated in the grammar grades, thus enabling pupils to enter high school earlier The splendid work done by the continuation schools, of which there are several in Cincinnati was also mentioned

Thesse remarks were prefaced by a short talk on home gardening as a means of keeping the children interested and off the streets after school hours and during vaccation time Mr Carpenter urged the teachers to encourage home gardeming and told of a plan whereby seeds could be bought for a nominal sum, a penny a package

Plans for the Northwest Texas Teachers Institute which convenes in this city April 16 and 17 are now being consumated A number of prominent speakers will take part in the program and the city teachers will tender the institute a reception

The morning's program follows

"Reasoning —Miss Ball

Uses of Types and the Formal Steps of Instruction —Miss Stratton

"Grammar Grades —Miss Jenkins

"Nature Study and Science —Miss Anthony

History" —Miss Haynes

Constitutional Period of History —Miss Henderson

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"Writing —Miss Shelton

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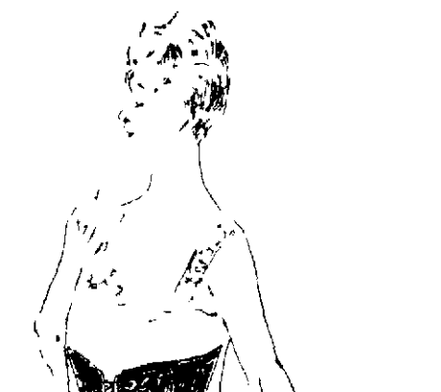

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Voile Is Favored Material In Styles For Spring—Many Novelties

New York, March 12.—The last month has proven that Paris is not hating us. The couturiers have supplied fashions for the waiting Americans despite depressed conditions and their openings have been almost as gay as ever. I say almost, for one cannot get over the atmosphere of grief which enters the place when one sees the suppressed sorrow on the face of a saleswoman or model. The mannequins themselves are not less gay but it is often a forced gaiety.

The gowns show less change than heretofore but what they lack in variety they make up in artistry. The couturiers have had no heart for the bizarre and therefore have improved upon what they have had.

The Franco-Russian war closed a period noted for its extravagance in dress and following was a time of severity and plainness which was felt over the entire civilized world. Today has seen another period of extravagance closed by a world wide war and we are now entering upon another period which bids fair to be one of naturalness and simplicity and a turning from the Orientalism which brought in the lamp shade tunics and the Turkish styles of a few seasons back.

The Paris openings show that voile wool silk or cotton is used a great deal in the development of the new gowns. There are separate waists also made of it usually in sand or putty colors. They suit the khaki and field cloth suits which are the rage of early spring.

Simplicity is the mode in these waists which button primly down the front and are sometimes tucked singly or in clusters. High collars off and boned only at the sides are very popular. These collars should not hit the neck tightly but wrinkle loosely over the bones. If at all tight they have lost their style.

The waists of thin fabrics are by far smarter than those made of heavier fabrics. Chiffon and a voile which is warranted indestructible and looks more like chiffon than voile go with the fitters durability is used a great deal for these waists even of the simplest and the plainest styles.

Beneath these waists are worn corset covers of plain white flesh colored or pink taffeta scalloped at the top and buttoned down the front. Beige and sand colored taffeta is also used to be worn under white chiffon or voile waists.

In my illustration is shown a dress of tan voile. The bolero of the waist is made of an irregularly checked voile in dull shades of red yellow and brown. The skirt is untrimmed.

Voile and other fabrics are being used with bordes in contrasting colors. This helps in the trimming which as it usually needs nothing so to make the dress complete.

A serviceable dress on trim new lines is shown in my second illustration. The side closing of the waist corresponding with the side closing of the skirt is both neat and at the same time. A high collar with a turn over white shows the latest whim of fashion. Notice the simple belt of the same cloth even to the cloth covered buckle.

One of the odd and quaint novelties of evening dress is made with a waist of white tulle edged with the twisted embroidery. It is said to say the least and very effective. This worsted embroidery is used on chiffon net silk and voile. Silk frocks have embroidered flowers at the waist on the end of sashes as a border to a hem. A blue frock which I have recently seen had a fringe around the bottom of yellow and blue crewel fringe.

In Europe mourning reigns. It is seldom that one goes upon the street in Paris or London or Berlin without passing more people in black or black and white than in any other color. This of course, causes black and white to be favored here. The new silks show stripes of black and of white with a white flower thrown in relief against the stripes. Black suits are made with vests of wide striped silk.

Checks and stripes play a large part in the trimming of many of the spring gowns. A stunning suit which I saw not long ago of blue voile was made entirely over a blue and white check silk, the checks being almost an inch square. A frock of black chiffon was made over a flounced underskirt which had each ruffle finished with a band of striped black and white silk an inch and a half deep the stripes running up and down.

Children's frocks change much less in comparison with the styles of their elders but this spring finds the short waisted frocks much more popular than the long waisted ones although the latter have not become passe by any manner of means. The short waisted frocks are very becoming to the small child and to the pettie girl but for the tall or very plump child the long waisted models are much more becoming.

MAN FOUND UNCONSCIOUS ON LANDING OF STAIRWAY

Believed to Have Lost Balance and Fallen—is Taken to City Hall

Charles Jones a glass worker was found Saturday afternoon lying unconscious with blood streaming from a cut over his right eye on a landing in a stairway leading to the City Rooming House on Indiana avenue over a pool hall. He was carried to the city hall where a physician was called and took several stitches in the wound.

Jones remained unconscious for some time. Late yesterday evening he was removed to his home. It is believed while walking up the stairway Jones lost his balance and fell. His wife who is employed at the broom factory was notified of the accident and assisted in caring for her husband at the city hall.

EXTRA GALLON IS OFFERED WICHITA GASOLINE USERS

Refinery Announces Gift to Motorists Plant Now Running Full Capacity

One gallon extra of gasoline will be given every motorist calling at the Wichita Valley Refining Company station on Eighth street and at the Indiana avenue. This announcement was authorized yesterday by H. C. Leece general manager of the company. With every gallon of gasoline said Mr. Leece would be given the company's guarantee that it would be from 67 to 68 gravity absolutely clean and containing no free carbon.

Our gasoline will start your car in a cold morning and will run 1 more miles than other kinds of gasoline, said Mr. Leece.

The Wichita Valley's Refining company's plant was recently with beautiful capacity and is running to capacity of its [illegible] that it can take care of its capital stock which is owned entirely by Wichita county people. It has lately been [illegible] to 8 [illegible] proving one of the most successful enterprises in this section of the state.

STREET CAR SERVICE TO LAKE IS INCREASED TODAY

Cars Will Go Every Twenty Four Minutes This Afternoon—Pavilion To Be Open

The Wichita Falls Traction company announced that cars will be run to the lake every twenty minutes this afternoon. If the weather is favorable the crowds are expected to go out to the lake.

L. P. Stokes the manager of the grounds at the lake announces that the pavilion will be open and lively morrow. The formal opening however will not take place until a later date.

Many fishermen were on the lake yesterday and some good catches of croppie were made. Some big cat fish are being caught on the upper end of the lake.

FOREIGNERS RELEASED FROM PIEDRAS NEGRAS JAIL

American Vice Consul Secures Dismissal of One American and Two Spaniards

By Associated Press

Del Rio, Texas, March 13.—The release of one American and two Spaniards from jail in Piedras Negras opposite here was announced by the American vice consul William P. Blocker. They were arrested when the Villa troops occupied Piedras Negras earlier this week. A timber filibuster and a gunsmith were arrested and then released by General Rosalio Hernandez the Villa commander on promising to return to their homes in Mexico without making more trouble. Most of the refugees have been returned. Four hundred Villa troops have been sent to Las Vacas near the Texas border 50 miles up the Rio Grande from here in pursuit of Carranza. Villa [illegible] Carranza [illegible] Gen. [illegible] who is reported to have [illegible] troops.

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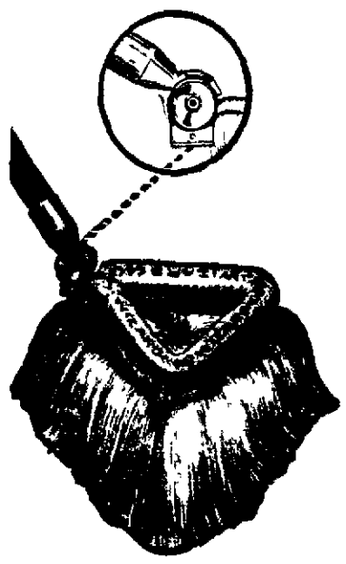

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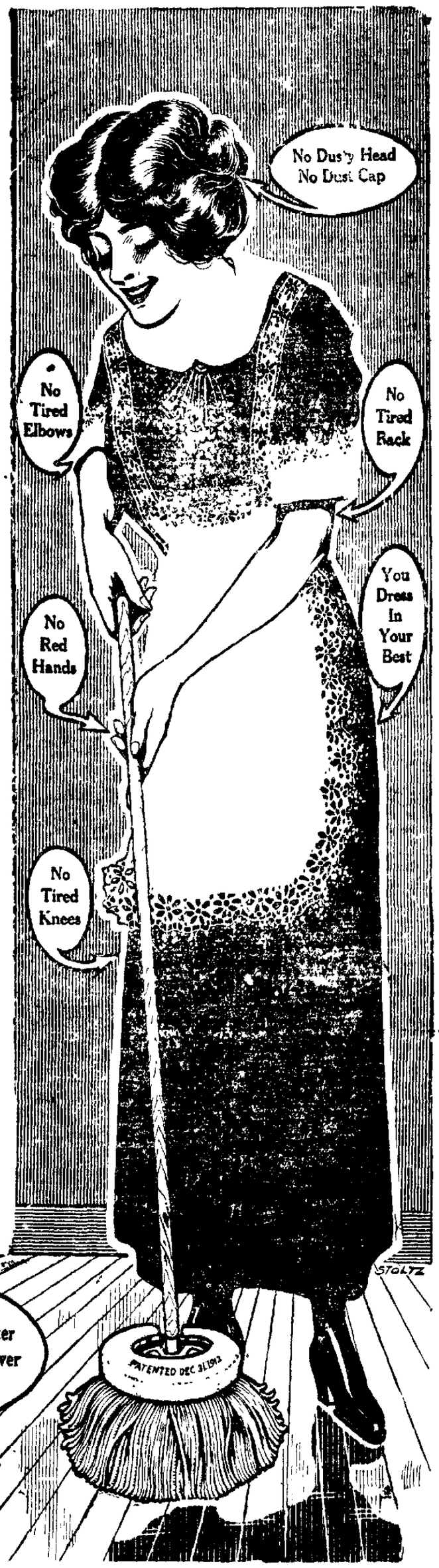

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SOCIETY

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hostess With Mrs Silk as leader the lesson proved very instructive and entertaining, the leader explaining in an interesting paper the differences between Athens and Sparta Mrs Moore told of the fall of Athens and a general discussion of the lesson was engaged in The members present were Miss Avis, Mesdames Basford, Boone, Silk, Newton Maer, Moore, Robertson, Will Gardner, O E Maer, Clifford, Smith and the hostess

MRS. GEORGE DRINKARD HOSTESS TO U. C. T. A.

The Ladies of the U C T Auxiliary enjoyed a very pleasant meeting Wednesday with Mrs. G T Drinkard as hostess. At the business session three members were added to the roll of membership, these being Mesdames Oscar Williams, Ed. Pounds and Morris Marcus. In an observation contest, planned by the thoughtful hostess, Mrs. Vergil Shepherd won the prize, a casserole.

A refreshment course of nut charlotte russe with angel and devil's food cake and chocolate was served to the following, Misses Gibbons and Toney, Mesdames Keith, Reynolds, L Wilson, R. Harrison, Lamb, Oscar Williams, Bauch, Pounds, Judd Pressley, Hancock, Shepherd and Toney

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR WALTER COUSINS, JR.

The fifth birthday of Walter Cousins, Jr, was very fittingly observed Wednesday afternoon with a little tots' party given by his mother Mrs W H Cousins Numerous indoor games were played by the small men and women, each choosing their favorite game and playing it in turn. When time came for refreshments the candles on the big white birthday cake were lighted for the admiration of the children, the cake when cut being served with doughnuts and hot grape juice. Before leaving the guests were invited to try their luck at an improvised fishing pond where each angler had the best of "fisherman's luck" drawing out sacks of fruit and candy, with cunning white Easter rabbits as souvenirs Those enjoying the celebration of Master Cousins' birthday included Kathrine Marcus, Elizabeth Kelly, Margery Hines, Mary Elizabeth Lee, Frank Bundy and Marvin George, Howard Knotts

DOUBLE NINE CROCHET CLUB WITH MRS. W. W. BROWN

Wednesday afternoon members of the Double Nine Crochet Club met at the home of Mrs W W Brown to spend the usual two hours at their crocheting in company with the congenial group of neighbors Several musical selections by various of the members added to the enjoyment of the afternoon and the hostess, assisted by her daughters, Misses Imogene and Jewell, served refreshments of salad, sandwiches, cake and coffee to the following, Mesdames Barringer Everton, E. H Brown, J. T Carter, McLemore, Quinn, Shaw, Fears, Walter Brown, J Z. Carter and Miss Louela Morgan

STANDARD CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS WEDNESDAY

The Standard Club met in business session Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs M M. Walker, the election of officers for the ensuing year and the appointment of an executive committee being up for consideration The business session was preceded by a brief round table with current events for the discussion topic The following officers were nominated and unanimously elected Mrs C F Heasley, president Mrs W R Japhet, vice president, Miss Kathleen Stonecipher, recording secretary Miss Shelton, corresponding secretary Mrs M M Walker, treasurer Mrs Nace Clifford, parliamentarian Miss Hickman critic Miss Alider Mrs Fred Harrington and Miss Rainey were appointed on the executive committee and a spirited discussion of the course of study for next year was entered into, decision on any subject being deferred until next meeting The members present were Mesdames Clifford, Japhet, Walker Patterson Hensley, president Mrs W E Jay Stonecipher, Shelton, Rainey, Hickman and Willis

The club will meet next March 24, at the home of Mrs M M Walker, with Misses Rainey and Roberson as joint hostesses

MRS S H. HODGES HOSTESS TO PLEASANT HOUR CLUB

The Pleasant Hour Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs S H Hodges. The usual pleasant informal time was spent, the members engaging in fancy work Mrs Mckenzie was a guest The hostess' refreshment service consisted of pineapple salad sandwiches, pickles olives, coffee and cake The members present were Mesdames Hodges, Beavers, Cobb, Strange, Orr and Howard.

Miss Bertie Sparkman returned Saturday to her home in Alvord, after a short visit with Miss Shug Mills

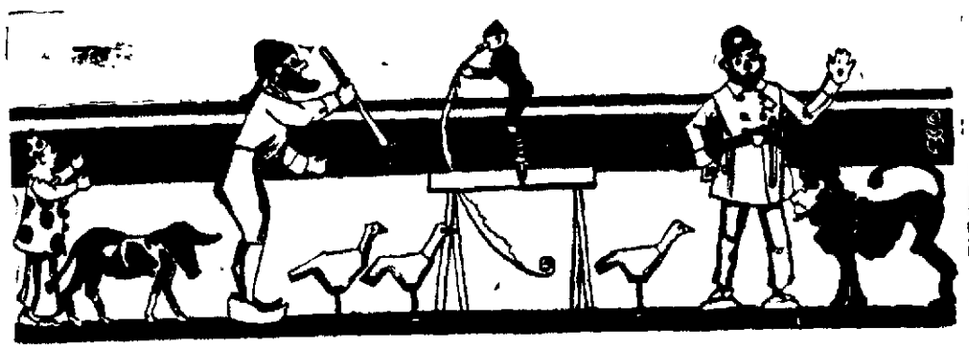
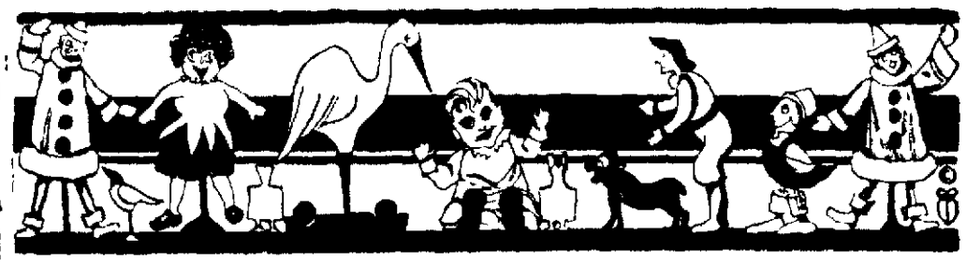
The Praetorians have issued invitations for a St Patrick's entertainment to be given on the evening of the seventeenth

The many friends of Mrs Sam T Scaling will be glad to learn she is recovering from the operation performed last week

Mrs S Moore left today for Dallas where she will visit Mrs Luther Haynie She will also go to Corsicana before returning here

Mrs E B Carver and daughter Miss Eddie have returned from San Antonio

Mrs W W Little and son William Wallace, Jr and little brother Nolen Pullock left yesterday for Sherman to visit their sister, Mrs Hayden Head

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by express a shipment of the latest waists. These are pure silk, habutai silks embroidered in silk, also the new transparent organdies with vest effect and new Russian collars. These are swell waists and as a special attraction for Monday we offer them for **$1 49**. (See window).

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ROWENA CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS GEORGE VETZSCHE

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C K Johnson distributing clerk at the postoffice is spending a short vacation at San Antonio

K R A[illegible] who has the contract for [illegible] the dam at the West Side Lake returned yesterday from Dallas where he closed a large grading contract for the Texas Oil Company The company is putting in a lot of storage tanks at Gates Texas and Mr Anderson will grade the land and throw up grades around the tanks

A candle that had been left burning by children at play in the room set fire to the wall paper at the home of J W Roberts at 140 Bluff street Saturday afternoon It was extinguished with a pail of water A fire alarm was turned in

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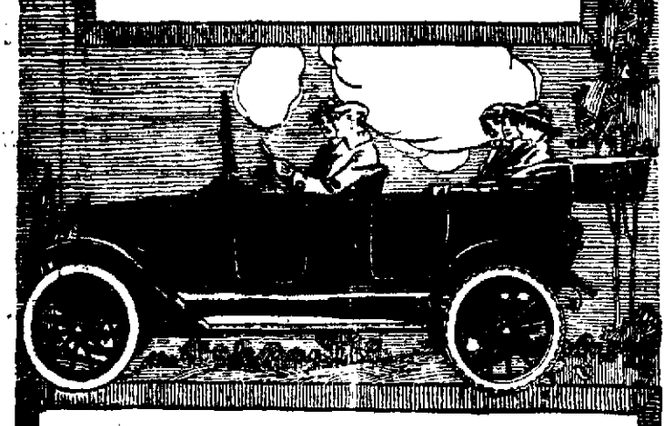

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AT THE THEATERS

Lydia Margaret.

The most interesting bit of the program at the Lydia Margaret theatre will undoubtedly prove that of Paul Bowens, who will be seen here the first half of this week. He comes to this theatre with a load of new stories and a score of most amusing songs, interpreted with a bit of dancing here and there. Bowens, who has proven a hit wherever he has been seen, will unquestionably repeat same here. If you could not see the man on the stage, you would undoubtedly think that a perfect, real engine was on the stage. At any rate, the imitation is perfect and his offering will be applauded generally.

The Longworths in a singing act of decided originality show supreme confidence in their ability to make good by starting with a song which is strong enough to close an act. They will be seen at the Lydia Margaret Theatre the first half of this week. "Underneath the Banyan Tree" is a novelty song, the words and music of which were written by Jack Longworth and shows a decided ability on the part of the team for musical comedy work. It is well written and the Longworth's success in "putting it across" where seen. A strong comedy finish is secured of a moving picture reel posed under their directions. While the music of this song is recognized as "a this season's" success, the words are Mr. Longworth's and form a burlesque on a popular serial film, showing in this city. As a whole the Longworths have succeeded in framing up fifteen minutes of clean enjoyable singing that leaves the audience wanting more.

"Ridgeway of Montana" is the picture for Monday. The film is taken from the book of the same, written by William MacLeod Raine. It is in three parts, produced by Henry McRae, with William Clifford, Marie Walcamp and Sherman Bainbridge in the lead roles.

BETTY HANSEN AT THE MATJESIC THEATER TUESDAY

The management of the Majestic Theater announces the five film stars, Betty Nansen, Edward Jose, Wilmuth Mirkyl, Walter Hitchcock and Stuart Holmes will be seen in the much discussed photoplay, "The Celebrated Scandal." Miss Nansen has the most wonderful eye in the world and in one scene in the picture real tears are seen to drop from her eyes. Gossip plays a prominent part and the wagging tongues cause much suffering and finally death. At the finale, Betty Nansen says. "Never has there been thought of love between us, but the world is always ready to think the worst of a woman. And you, too, believe this scandal which has dragged my name in the dust and caused my husband's death—go in there and look upon your work."

CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG AT EMPRESS, WEDNESDAY

The Wednesday feature at the Empress this week will be Clara Kimball Young in "The Deep Purple."

The World Film Corporation presents the five part photoplay "The Deep Purple" based on the drama of the same name by Paul Armstrong and Wilson Mizner. The New York underworld; the perfidies of the Tenderloin; unmitigated crookedness in the shape of blackmail; wire tapping, fraud, gambling, gun play, murder, these are the environments in which the unsophisticated innocents from the country suddenly finds itself, and from which in the end it emerges unscathed.

It is a play of startling incidents and dramatic contrasts; a thriller in the literal meaning of the word. It is moreover true to life and free of any nauseating sex theme or white slave traffic in it: nothing of-white slave tra c in it: nothing offensive; nothing unclean. It is a probable story of metropolitan life: logically unfolded and the people of the drama are the actualities of commonplace existence, as the police court records and the newspapers, day by day, amply attest.

"The Deep Purple" is built round the "badger" game. And the badger game in the argot of the underworld is a form of crookedness more or less rife in all large cities, particularly New York. But crookedness is omnipresent. Motion picture audiences are really not keen on "locations." To them, the play is the thing, and it must hold, no matter what it is about, where it is supposed to take place or who the characters are and by whom they are played. "The Deep Purple" is one of these plays—it holds by its intrinsic power and dramatic force.

"CAST UP BY THE SEA" AT GEM THEATRE MONDAY

Meeting Ruth Adams, daughter of a millionaire, on an ocean liner, Lockwood, a professional gambler, falls in love with her He finds a rival in Count Dupont, a fortunte hunter. The latter informs Ruth and her father as to Lockwood's profession. When the gambler later calls upon Ruth at her home, he is requested to leave.

Ruth and Dupont are wed. A few days after the wedding the girl's father is ruined. Lockwood chances to see Dupont when the news is broken to the nobleman. The man's attitude causes the gambler to fear for Ruth's safety. When the Duponts sail for abroad, Lockwood follows.

A collision sends the liner to the bottom. Ruth, her husband and the gambler are the sole survivors. The three are washed ashore on an island. In the months which follow. Ruth comes to find Lockwood gentle and courageous. Dupont, on the other hand, is a mounment of selfishness. Lockwood constructs a raft just big enough to carry two. Weary of her husband's brutality, she consents to leave the island with the gambler. Dupont, attempting to board the raft, is knocked unconscious.

As Lockwood paddles out to sea, a bundle falls from Ruth's hands and opens. A tiny garment made by Ruth during her stay on the island. Informs the gambler that it is Dupont who should have the chance of being rescued with Ruth. The man paddles back to shore.

The realization of his own unworthiness is forced upon Dupont for the first time, when he learns Lockwood's reason for returning. He vows to turn over a new leaf.

"VALLEY OF THE MOON AT EMPRESS HEATER MONDAY

Jack Conway and Myrtle Stedman of all the motion picture stars have been chosen to play the parts of Roberts and his wife, Saxon, in Jack London's vivid picture of middle class life, "The Valley of the Moon." Our race has been on the tramp since the beginning of creation, just like we are, looking for a piece of land to settle down on. And with this Billy Roberts and Saxon, his wife, leave the life of the city and start out for the farm of their dreams, which must be so ideal they ought to look for it they are told, in "The Valley of the Moon." But it is only after stirring experiences that they determine to take this step. At the opening of the play Billy is successively a teamster and a pugilist and Saxon works in a laundry. They meet at a picnic and find that they are both of the race of sturdy pioneers, which crossed the plains on foot and founded the new empire of the west "We are just like old friends with the same kind of folks behind us," says Billy We see their simple wedding and the happiness of a new life. Then comes the teamsters' strike with the consequent poverty and unhappiness and the embittering of Billy's spirit.

Things go from bad to worse but it is when their fortunes are at the lowest ebb, when Billy is in jail and Saxon destitute, and while she sails on San Francisco Bay, that the great inspiration comes to her. The city is just a place to start from, beyond the circle of hills beyond the Golden Gate, somewhere they will find what they desire most.

After his release and fired by her enthusiasm, Billy agrees and with the thought that they are only following in the footsteps of their ancestors, they start out on foot to find a new home

Charming glimpses of the country through which they are traveling are given, in the course of which we make the acquaintance of the delightful group of artists who call themselves the "Abalone Eaters," at Carmel, and attend a boxing match at which Billy earns a much-desired camping outfit in 27 seconds

Finally they come to a cairn and view from it a valley that is all they have looked for It is Sonoma, an Indian name whih means the Valley of the Moon; so that even their joking wish to find such a valley is fulfilled. Our last view of them is in the midst of busy ranch life, and in a dell in Wildwater Canyon, where Saxon whispers to Billy the secret that crowns the summit of their happiness.

The play is preceded by a [illegible] foot moving picture of Mr. London overlooking his ranch at Sonoma from the same cairn on which Billy and Saxon stand when they get their first glimpse of the Valley of the Moon

MASTER KEY NO. 10 AT MAJESTIC WEDNESDAY

The tenth episode of the Universal special feature "The Master Key," is replete with thrills. State cavalry quell a riot and pistol battle at "The Master Key" mine. Wilkerson steals the secret of the rich lode in the mine inherited by Ruth Gallon and escapes from the soldiers who pursue him by dropping from the end of a rope down the cliff side and both Dorn and Wilkerson start out on rival expeditions to discover the secret treasure chest which lies in the depths of the Pacific ocean

At the end of episode nine of "The Master Key," it will be remembered that John Dore throws Willkerson from a high trestle to the foot of an ore dump near the mine. Wilkerson, although fearfully bruised revives and drags himself to a spot where he is found by his Mexican hirelings.

The Governor of the state, upon the request of the local sheriff, sends a troop of state cavalry to quell the disturbance at the mine. The captain of the company sends for the two leaders and demands an explanation. Both claim ownership of the mine Dore on behalf of Ruth and Wilkerson for himself

The officers place the camp under martial law and gives the leaders the liberty of the village. Dore accuses Wilkerson of abduction and forgery, but the captain and the sheriff are officially powerless to make an arrest. Dore thereupon sends Tom Kane to the nearest county seat to swear out a warrant for Wilkerson's arrest.

Dore lives meanwhile at his own house and Ruth in her old home where she is chaperoned by one of the miner's wives. Wilkerson bunks in one of the miner's cabins. Dore thinks the situation serious enough to warrant his opening a letter left in his care by Tom Gallon which was to be opened on Ruth's 18th birthday or prior to that date should her welfare be threatened. Dore opens the letter which reads as follows

"Silent Valley, Cal., June 29, 1914

"Little Girl

"Read carefully what I now write. On this depends your future welfare.

"The Master Key mine discovered by me five years ago contains a mother lode of inestimable worth. The exate location of that lode is written on a paper which I placed in the head of an Indian idol, hidden in an old sea chest which sank on the ship on which I was wrecked.

"On the Master Key the key to that chest which you wear on you neck, is carved the latitude and longitude where the vessel went down. Find that slip of paper and wealth is yours

"Your devoted daddy, John Gallon."

In opening the letter with a paper knife Dore accidentally cuts the letter into two parts. He pieces it together in reading it but in putting the letter into his pocket a part drops on the floor. One of Wilkerson's pals who has been instructed to shadow Dore sees this through the window and when Dore goes out enters the house and picks up the paper The torn part reads:

"On the Master Key, the key to that chest which you wear on your neck is carved the latitude and longitude where the vessel went down. Find that slip of paper and wealth is yours.

"Your devoted daddy,

"John Gallon"

The Mexican hurries with part of the letter to Wilkerson and the latter who always realized that the mine was not located correctly, is elated at the discovery. His next move is to get the key from Ruth. Dore starts to read the letter to Ruth and discovers that half of it is gone Although he makes a careful search he fails to find it

Dore tells Ruth what the letter contained and copies from the key she wears the numerals so rudely carved by her father five years before and which always have been a puzzle to her.

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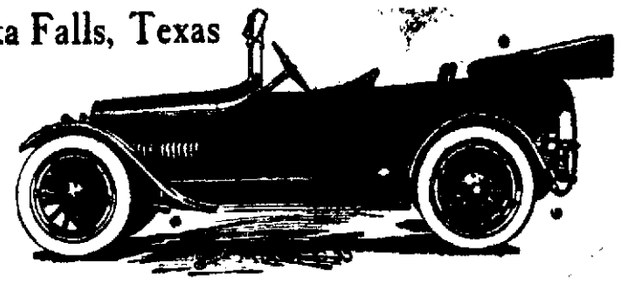

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Notice.

Wichita Falls, Texas, March 4th, 1915.

Public notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Wichita Falls & Northwestern Railway Company of Texas will be held at the general office of said company in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, on Saturday, the third day of April, 1915, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., for the election of a board of seven directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting.

Notice is also hereby given that the annual meeting of the board of directors of said The Wichita Falls & Northwestern Railway Company of Texas, will be held at the same place and on the same day immediately after the adjournment of said stockholders meeting.

C. E. SCHAFF, President.
A. W. EICHENBERGER, Sec.
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THE WICHITA FALLS RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice.

Wichita Falls, Texas, March 4th, 1915.

Public notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Wichita Falls Railway Company, will be held at the general office of said company in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, on Saturday, the third day of April, 1915 at 4 o'clock p. m., for election of a board of seven directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting. Notice is also hereby given that the annual meeting of the board of directors of said the Wichita Falls Railway Company will be held at the same place and on the same day immediately after the adjournment of said stockholders meeting.

C. E. SCHAFF, President.
A. W. EICHENBERGER, Sec.
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THE WICHITA FALLS & SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice.

Wichita Falls, Texas, March 4th, 1915.

Public notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Wichita Falls & Southern Railway Company, will be held at the general office of said company in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, on Saturday the third day of April, 1915, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of a board of nine directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting. Notice is also hereby given that the annual meeting of the board of directors of said the Wichita Falls & Southern Railway Company will be held at the same place and on the same day immediately after the adjournment of said stockholders meeting.

C. E. SCHAFF, President.
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WICHITA FALLS & WELLINGTON RAILWAY COMPANY OF TEXAS

Notice.

Wichita Falls, Texas, March 4th 1915.

Public notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Wichita Falls & Wellington Railway Company of Texas, will be held at the general office of said company in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, on Saturday the third day of April, 1915 at 2 30 o'clock p. m., for the election of a board of seven directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting. Notice is also hereby given that the annual meeting of the board of directors of said Wichita Falls & Wellington Railway Company of Texas, will be held at the same place and on the same day immediately after the adjournment of the stockholders meeting

C. E. SCHAFF, President
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NOTICE

Meeting of stockholders of First National Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, will be held at its banking house between the hours of 10 a. m and 4 p. m., on second Tuesday in April, 1915 (April 6th). Meeting called for the purpose of determining upon increase of capital stock, also to increase number of directors and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

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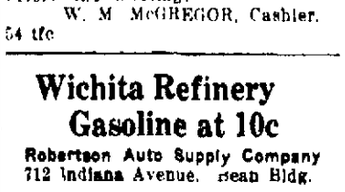

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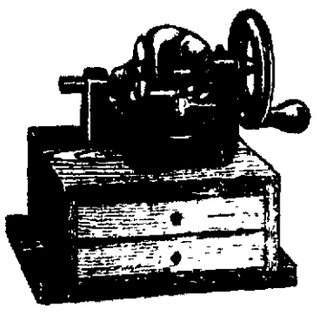

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Sunday school at 9 30, A. F Kerr, superintendent Preaching at 11 a. m Subject, "Stewardship," 7 30 subject, First Things First." Wednesday at 7 30 prayer service; subject, "Workers Needed Equipment." We invite you to worship with us. Come and we will make you feel at home.

F L. McFADDEN, Pastor.

Church of Christ.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching 11 and 7:30 Morning subject, "Nebuchardnezzar's Forgotten Dream.' Evening subject, "Wisdom Hath Builded Her House; She Hath Hewn out Her Seven Pillars." You are kindly invited.

C. A. BUCHANAN, Minister.

Christian Church.

Bible school at 9:30, W J. Bullock, superintendent. Friend did you attend Bible school or church services last Sunday? Don't let the weather effect your religious pulse too much. It is wet now but it will soon be too dry; its cold now but it will soon be too hot to attend. Be honest; all are under moral bonds to ally ourselves with some form of religious activity. Let members do their duty in attendance, friends and strangers are invited. Morning sermon at 10:40, "The Work of the Holy Spirit." Evening at 7:30 a second sermon concerning the book of Daniel, "The King's Dream." The members of the Christian Endeavor Society are working to have one hundred present in their 6:30 meeting which will be held in the Bible school auditorium so they can have a piano for the orchestra to use. Let every young man and young woman in the church attend. The Junior Bible department will soon commence a contest between the girls and boys. They are going to take an automobile trip to the world's fair, boys in one and girls in another car. A cordial invitation is extended to all for these services

F F WALTERS, Pastor.

First Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 9 30 We lacked only seven of having 600 in the two schools last Sunday, 490 in the main school and 103 in the Walnut Street Mission. We are expecting the 500 in the main school Sunday and 125 in the Mission rain or shine Bad weather is a test of our loyalty. Preaching by the pastor at 11 o'clock Sunbeams, Royal Ambassadors and Girls' Auxiliary at the church at 3 p m. The B. Y. P U at 6:30 Preaching by the pastor at 7 30, subject, "Does God Send Men to Hell? No, He is Doing all He Can to Keep Them From Going There.' The Women's Alliance will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3 in a business meeting. Every lady of the church is urged to be present as there is business of importance to attend to. The Mission study class begins Monday also Prayer-meeting Wednesday at 7.30. Revival meetings to begin April 18th

R. C. MILLER, Pastor.

First Methodist Episcopal, South.

Sunday school at 9:30. Our picture plant for illustrating the lesson on canvas has arrived and is being installed. We hope to give our first exhibition Sunday week. Preaching at 11 and 7:30 by the pastor. Junior League will meet at 3 in afternoon. The Senior League will meet at 6.30. Woman's Missionary Society on Monday afternoon. We had 119 at prayer service last Wednesday evening and we invite all of our people to give us a larger attendance next Wednesday night.

A. L. ANDREWS, Pastor.

First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school at 9 30. Morning worship at 11 Children's meeting at 3 p. m Evening worship at 7.30. Monday at 3 p. m., Ladies Aid Society meeting and Westminister Guild. Special Evangelistic services begin this week under the leadership of Rev. J W Caldwell, D. D. The public is cordially invited to all of these services. The prayer-meetings which have proven so helpful during the past week will be continued. Watch the paper for announcement of times and places of meetings.

J. L. McKEE, Pastor.

Church of the Good Shepherd.
(Episcopal)

Holy Communion at 8 a m Sunday school at 9 30 Litany and morning prayer at 11 The rector's subject for the sermon will be 'The Influence of Fret and Worry.' Evening prayer at 7 30 We gladly welcome you to all the services of this church Good music, a responsive service and a vital message. We want you

F T DATSON, Rector

First Methodist Episcopal Church.

All regular services at the usual hours Sunday school at 9 45. Classes for all ages. Visitors welcomed and new scholars always welcomed Epworth League at 6 30 We are having a fine attendance at the League Probably in proportion to our members no department of the church is better attended. We will welcome other young people to this congenial religious and social organization. Preaching morning and evening at 11 and 7:30. Morning subject, "The Christian as a Minature Christ." Evening subject, "The Parable of the Talents." The morning subjects through the month will have to do with the sufferings and death of the Christ somewhat in keeping with the Lenten period, and will culminate with the Easter service April 4th. Our devotional reading and religious meditation for this month should be along that line. Prayer-meeting and Bible study hour Wednesday evening. These services are increasingly interesting and should be better attended. Services at Paul's Memorial Chapel, Sunday school at 2:30, Fellowship meeting Sunday evening and preaching each Thursday evening. Last Thursday evening we had about 40 present and the hour was profitable. We invite all irrespective of denomination to meet with us in these services.

CHAS. C. SMITH, Pastor.

Lutheran Trinity Church.
(Fourteenth and Bluff Sts.)

German services at 10, a. m. In the absence of the pastor, one of the elders will lead the service. Sunday school at 11.30 a. m. Choir practice Tuesday at 7.30 p. m. Subject of the sermon for this service will be, "The Fifth and Sixth Word of Christ From the Cross." A hearty welcome to all.

F. A. BRACHER, Pastor.

Lutheran Church (Mo. Synod.)
(Eleventh and Holliday Streets.

Sunday school (German and English classes) at 9 a. m. Bible class at 9:45 a m. German morning worship at 10 30 a m. English services at 2:30 p. m. Everybody is cordially invited to worship with us

C M. BEYER, Pastor.

First Evangelical Church.

Sunday school at 10 a. m German preaching service at 11 o'clock. English service at 8 p. m. Y. P. A. meeting at 7 p m. Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.

C. ERMEL, Pastor

Christian Science.

Services are held in the church edifice, corner Ninth and Lamar as follows: Lesson sermon at 11 a m Sunday, subject "Substance" Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The reading room at same place is open daily except Sunday and legal holidays from 2 to 5 p. m The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the reading room

Free Methodist Church.

Preaching at 11 and 7:30. Sunday school at 9:45. Y P. meeting Sundays at 3. Prayer-meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30. You are invited to attend these services.

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"The causes may be traced to three facts—first, the general price cutting that has been noted second, the supply of plantation rubber from the Indo-Malay Peninsula is assured; third, the overhead cost of production has been lowered by new manufacturing processes With reference to price cutting, it was found that dealers were cutting their throats to get business, resulting in very low profits This caused dissatisfaction, and as a remedy the B F Goodrich company came out pair and square with the new price list The supply of rubber from the Malay Peninsula rubber plantations was assured when B C Work, president of the Goodrich company, went in England and succeeded in lifting the embargo on rubber. The advantages of large scale production have long been recognized in the manufacturing world These advantages can easily be summed up in three statements First, lower cost of material when buying in large quantities, second, division of labor, third, the large amounts a concern like the Goodrich company can spend in experimenting and developing."

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Concrete will likely be the material selected for the paving of Scott avenue and also for the extension of the paving on Tenth street and for the paving of such cross streets as will be paved out of the proceeds of the $45,000 bond issue.

Members of the council expressed a preference for this material at the meeting Friday night and its use is also favored by a large majority of the property owners who may be affected. It is argued in favor of concrete that it costs only about half as much as other materials and will therefore permit twice as much paving to be done from the proceeds of the bond issue. The city pays only for the paving of the street intersections so that a great deal of paving can be done with the $45,000.

Scott Avenue First

It is planned to start the paving of Scott avenue north from Tenth street at once. It is expected that before the first block is completed all the property owners will be signed up as far as Seventh street, so that the work can go straight on

A committee of Tenth street property owners living beyond the paving on that street who were before the council Friday night were told to get the property owners on that street signed up. Residents of Lamar and Burnett streets have also been told that when the property owners on those streets are signed up for paving the council will be ready to take up the question of the paving of those streets.

The paving of Seventh street from the end of the pavement between Indiana and Scott avenues to the court house will also be taken under consideration when the property owners are signed up

Bonds Are Approved.

The cement paving on Tenth street put down by I H Roberts has proven so satisfactory both to the city council and to the property owners and the public generally that members of the council are not disposed to ask for bids on other materials, and it is probable that if a satisfactory figure is quoted by Mr Roberts bids will not be asked for

Mayor Britain received a letter yesterday from the attorney general announcing that the $45,000 bond issue had been approved These bonds will be advertised and sold as soon as possible The market for municipal bonds is believed to be much better than a few months ago and no trouble in selling the bonds is anticipated.

The city council will meet at ten o'clock Monday morning to open bids for curbing and gutters around the "Seven Sisters" park site

NEGRO WOMEN ACTIVE IN CIVIC BETTERMENT

Colored Woman's Civic League Organized and Plans For Clean-Up Formulated.

After a most instructive and encouraging lecture had been made before the teachers pupils, and a large number of lady patrons of Washington school, by Mrs J A. Kemp, on "Civic Beauty," a colored women's civic league was organized last Monday to work in conjunction with the Mothers' Club of Washington school and the city civic league The following persons were elected officers of the league Mrs Harrison Wiley, president; Mrs. Ella Taylor, vice president; Mrs. Watson, secretary, Miss W. A Williams, assistant secretary; Miss M A Lainhart, corresponding secretary.

The first regular meeting of the league was held at Washington school Friday evening at 4 o'clock. That part of the city where most colored people live was divided into five districts with a chairman and a committee over each, as follows District No 1, Mrs I E Trimble, chairman; District No 2, Mrs Frankie Teloyse, chairman, District No 3 Mrs Ryan, chairman District No 4, Mrs M Norford chairman, District No 5, Mrs Williams, chairman

Much activity is already being displayed by the student of Washington school all of whom became members of the league the first day it was organized Prof C C Trimble who had already organized garden and flower clubs among the students of Washington school is rendering much assistance to the league. All are in line and are looking forward to helping Wichita in a general clean up and keeping it that way

PICTURE SHOWS WILL HELP BEAUTIFY CITY

Benefits Will Be Given and Funds Used to Purchase Flower Seed.

In cooperation with the Civic League's efforts to beautify the city, the motion picture houses of the city have agreed to give benefits one day, the proceeds to be used to purchase flower seeds for distribution among those unable to secure them but who wish to aid in the "beatifying" campaign. A part of the proceeds will also be devoted to other work along this line. The first benefit will be given next Friday at the Gem theater. The case bespeaks a large patronage.

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